

CROWD

Which Surged Along the Course of
the Procession

Reached Into the Millions.

The Glittering Pageant at This Funeral of
British Royalty Amazed Even the English
People Who are Accustomed to
Extravagant Displays.

Portsmouth, Feb. 2.—The Royal
mourners disembarked in a drenching
rain this morning. The sailors bore
the coffin ashore from the Albert and
placed it in the Royal saloon carriage
and a start was made for London at
3.30. No other train will run on the
line all day today.

NUMBER MILLIONS.

London, Feb. 2.—Only athletes and
millionaires saw the Queen's last
procession, though there was a dark
fanning of four million people about
the route of the procession of Royalty
and Royal military. The day is cold,
damp and gray. Many stayed in
the streets all night to hold the points
of advantage. Order was marvellous
and maintained. At 11 o'clock precisely
the funeral train drew into the station.
The King and Queen were first
to alight, and the Kaiser followed.
The stands about and on top of the
regular buildings near the station
made it seem that the buildings were
literally bursting with people. The
same condition prevailed all along the
route. Two acres of people densely
packed, filled Hyde park. First came
a detachment of military; then the
foreign attachments among them Maj.
Casement, U. S. A., then Lord Roberts,
then Earl Marshall, of Norfolk, followed
by the "Gold Sticks" and "White
Sticks" gorgeous in medieval
costume. Then the Queen's body, fol-
lowed by King Edward, Kaiser, Wil-
helm, the Duke of Connaught, three
across, followed by 50 other Royal
personages of all nations. The crowd
fully expected at the magnificent show.
The Queen and six carriages of Royal
ladies followed the mounted Royalty.
The platoon of German cavalry forms
the end of the procession.

SERVICE AT CHAPEL.

Windsor, Feb. 2.—The train bearing
the Queen's body left Paddington
Station, London, at 1.30. The decorations
were more meager but the
flowers at St. George's chapel were be-
sides comparison. Conspicuous among
them was McKinley's magnificent
wreath. Albert Memorial chapel,
where the body will rest after serv-
ices, was also completely filled with
flowers. The foreign ambassadors
were in gorgeous uniform but Choate,
representing the United States was
in plain dress suit. The funeral train
arrived at 2.15. The coffin was im-
mediately transferred to another
carriage and escorted to the royal
chapel. Mendellsohns funeral
march was rendered as the body was
borne in. Then followed the ordinary
burial service of the Episcopal
church where the distinguished con-
gregation was waiting. The white
interior of the chapel was draped with
purple hangings, making a fine effect.

DIED FROM EXCITEMENT.

Windsor, Feb. 2.—After the
services the Lord Steward and Lord
Chamberlain broke their wands of of-
fice and laid them on the coffin. The
incident that caused great excitement
and regret during the funeral was the
restiveness of the horses attached to
the gun carriage. They kicked over
the traces and nearly upset carriage
and coffin. They were quickly remov-
ed and 100 sailors drawing carriage by
long rope completed the journey.
Major Basindale a retired officer in the
British army, dropped dead in the
thrug from excitement as the proces-
sion passed.

AN UGLY RUSH.

London, Feb. 2.—An ugly rush is
reported from Marble Arch in Hyde
Park. The gates, it appears were un-
expectedly closed after the proces-
sion and the crowd made a mad rush

to get out. Several persons fainted
and were injured by being trampled
upon. The police and military
quickly checked the crowd.

HUNDRED INJURED.

London, Feb. 2.—More than a
hundred people were admitted to the
hospital today crushed and injured in
the crowds.

A GLITTERING SPECTACLE.

London, Feb. 2.—The cavalcade
which followed the royal coffin through
the streets of London at noon today
exceeded in brilliancy anything ever
seen in England. A world of humanity
thronged the heavily draped and sand-
ed thoroughfares through which the
gorgeous funeral pageant passed, and
no serious mishap marred the solemn
yet brilliant event.

Precisely at 9 o'clock this morning
the remains of the departed queen
were removed from Plymouth, where,
on board the yacht *Albion*, they re-
mained all night, and conveyed to Lon-
don, arriving at Victoria station at 11
o'clock. From here the procession
started, and the march to Windsor pro-
ceeded with some difficulty through
the solid walls of humanity. Every-
where a perfect blaze of purple, black
and white met the eye, many of the
decorations being gorgeous in the ex-
treme, while floral wreaths abounded
in profusion.

The coffin containing the remains
rested on a beautifully draped gun
carriage surmounted by a platform. It
was drawn by eight cream-colored
horses. The cavalcade followed with
King Edward in the center, flanked by
Emperor William and the Duke of Con-
naught. Nearly fifty kings and princes
were next in line, each wearing the
uniform of his own country. Follow-
ing came the princesses in carriages.

Then came the ambassadors, minis-
ters, personal representatives of the
various nations, attaches of the foreign
legations and many persons prominent
in British official and social life. The
military display was lavish and impos-
ing, thousands of gaily uniformed
cavalry and infantry turning out. The
sad procession glided along in beau-
tiful order and precision, as though
moved by some hidden power. No in-
cident of any kind occurred to mar its
stately beauty.

Immense crowds lined the great
metropolis from all parts of the king-
dom. It was next to impossible to ob-
tain a bedroom in any West End hotel,
and all morning visitors were eagerly
searching all along the route for win-
dows and seats, held at exorbitant
prices, to view the procession.

There have been more magnificent
pageants than the escorts of the body
of Queen Victoria from the house
where she died to the royal yacht, but
never has there been witnessed in re-
cent world history a procession more
remarkable in its combination of pomp
and splendor with grief and humility.

Ready For the Burial.

Windsor, England, Feb. 2.—The
ancient town of Windsor has undergone
a great transformation. Its usually
quiet streets are thronging with visi-
tors in a condition of subdued excite-
ment. The decorations and prepara-
tions for the final scenes continue, but
perhaps the strangest matter is the be-
wondering number of wreaths that con-
tinue to arrive from all over the world.
The final arrangements have been
made at St. George's chapel royal. The
purple-covered bier stands awaiting its
royal burden. Four shields adorn its
sides, each with a golden monogram,
"V. R. L." At Frogmore the cover of
the great stone sarcophagus has been
rolled away. When the queen's re-
mains are laid beside those of the
prince consort the stone will be re-
placed and finally sealed, a marble
figure being placed above it.

Mass For the Queen.

Santiago de Cuba, Feb. 2.—A solemn
requiem mass with full ritual was cele-
brated at the cathedral for the repose
of the soul of Queen Victoria. The
British consul and General Whitehead,
accompanied by all the officers at
headquarters and Morro barracks, in
full uniform, attended the service, to-
gether with the civil officials and for-
eign consuls.

Don't Want Stickley.

Chattanooga, Feb. 2.—Pete Turney
camp, Confederate veterans, of Win-
chester, Tenn., has sent a formal peti-
tion to General John B. Gordon, com-
manding the United Confederate vet-
erans, asking that another city be
named for the meeting of the United
Confederate veterans if Memphis per-
sists in its invitation to President Mc-
Kinley to be present in that city at the
time of the reunion.

Fighting in Abyssinia.

Paris, Feb. 2.—A dispatch from Cairo
says news has been received there from
Abyssinia of a great battle in which
7,000 men were killed. It is supposed
the chiefs rebelled during the absence
of King Menelik, who has gone to the
Egyptian frontier, in connection with
the delimitation of the Egypto-Abyss-
inian frontier.

REVIEW

Of Trade for the Week
Just Closing

Shows a Favorable Condi-
tion of Trade.

Some Prices Have a Tendency to
Rise, While Textiles Have
Taken a Bit of a
Drop.

New York, Feb. 2.—R. G. Dun &
Company's weekly review of trade
says: The week in general business
has been without striking new fea-
tures. Not one of the great industries
finds any scarcity of orders for goods
and business is done at prices which
show a slight tendency to rise, except
in textiles, which have been affected
by the reduction of 10 to 20 per cent
in the season's opening prices. The
dry goods trade is preparing for a sea-
son of activity and the new woolen
prices are not lower than most buyers
expected. While steel mills have con-
tracts on hand for their output from
three to six months ahead, prices nat-
urally rule firm.

BY NIGHT

A Sanguinary Battle
Was Fought.

Sheikhs and the Self Styled
King Combat.

The Latter Was Completely Routed
by the Sheikhs Who Captured
a Large Amount of His
Booty.

Bombay, Feb. 2.—Reports have ar-
rived here of a sanguinary battle near
Kowett, on the Persian gulf, between
the sheikhs of Kowett and Binnashid,
who calls himself king of Arabia. Bin-
nashid had 20,000 men, partially armed
with rifles, while the sheikhs had
10,000, all mounted and carrying rifles.
Binnashid marched on Kowett and the
sheikhs advanced to meet him. The
battle, which was fought by night, last-
ed from sunset until dawn. Binnashid
charged repeatedly, but he was com-
pletely routed by the sheikhs, who
captured a great quantity of booty.

ACTIVITY

Characterizes the War
Department.

Getting Ready to Execute
the New Order

Concerning the Reorganization of the
Army. 5000 Recruits Wanted
for Service in the
Philippines.

Washington, Feb. 2.—There will be
no delay at the war department in ex-
ecuting the army reorganization law.
The matters that will receive the ear-
liest attention are the appointments of
the general and field officers and the
recruitment of the 10 additional regi-
ments of infantry and cavalry author-
ized by the bill. Recruiting stations
have been established at all the prin-
cipal centers of population and all avail-
able officers in this country have been
assigned to recruiting duty. There is
an immediate demand for at least
5,000 recruits to meet deficiencies in
the Philippines.

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no news of the death of Li Hung
Chang, as reported by the *Frankfort*
Gazette. M. Pichon, the French minis-
ter at Peking, has not alluded to his ill-
ness for some time; so it is supposed
it is not serious.

WANT

The Scalp of New
Member.

After Wilcox

On a Number of Differ-
ent Charges.

Says He Wrote Anti-Ameri-
can Literature to the
Filipinos,

And Alludes to the United States
Forces as Invaders, and to
Otis as a Carpet Bag
Politician.

Washington, Feb. 2.—A petition con-
taining charges was submitted to the
house committee on elections No. 1
against delegate Robert W. Wilcox,
the Hawaiian representative in the
house of representatives. It is prayed
that he be debarred from congress. The
charges are made by George D. Quar of
Hawaii, who submitted letters purport-
ing to be copies of letters written by
Wilcox to Filipino officials. One is dated
Honolulu, Jan. 31, 1899, and addressed
to prominent Filipino leaders. It is in-
tensely anti-American in character.
Among other things the letter says:
"I am thinking to go to the Philippine
Islands and give my assistance to Agui-
naldo against the invaders—the hypo-
crites of the United States—the hypocri-
tical Yankees—the carpet-bag politi-
cians." It is also charged that
prior to his election Mr. Wilcox made
use of the strongest anti-American ut-
terances in order to influence the na-
tive Hawaiian vote. Mr. Wilcox says
he has no fear of the charges made.

Peace Belongs.

Managua, Nicaragua, Feb. 2.—There
is no truth in the report circulated in
the United States that the Nicaraguan
troops entered Costa Rica and captured
La Cruz, and that Costa Rica had dis-
patched troops to the frontier. On the
contrary, Nicaragua and Costa Rica
are at peace with each other and the
Nicaraguans are now occupied in cele-
brating the sixth anniversary of Gen-
eral Zelaya's presidency.

Christian Endeavorers.

Portland, Me., Feb. 2.—There was
not a moment wasted by the delegates
to the Christian Endeavor twentieth
anniversary convention, for address
followed address and each service had
its own distinguished feature. Clergy-
men from many prominent parishes of
the country contributed to the program
and the praise service gave delightful
variations.

Carter Will Appeal.

St. Louis, Feb. 2.—Attorneys for
Captain Oberlin M. Carter, who is serv-
ing a sentence in the United States
penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kan., for
embezzling government funds while in
charge of the engineering work of Sa-
vannah harbor, will appeal his case to
the supreme court of the United States.

Wrecked on Her Trial Trip.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The state de-
partment has received a report from
the consul at Chung King, China, to
the effect that the German steamer *Sui*
Hsing has been wrecked in the rapids of
the Yang-Tze, 60 miles above Ichang.
The captain was lost, but all of her
passengers and the remainder of her
crew were saved. The steamer was
built especially to navigate the Yang-
Tze through the great gorges from
Ichang to Chung King as one of a reg-
ular line of German steamers to be run
from Shanghai to Chung King. She
was on her trial trip.

Wool Conditions.

Boston, Feb. 2.—The wool market
has been more active, but, with the
solitary exception of a lot of Ohio de-
laine sold at 30 cents, an advance of 1
cent over last sales, the trend of the
market is downward. London has
dropped to the level of October's clos-
ing. Buenos Ayres is now offering
quarter-blood slightly defective comb-
ings at 34 cents scoured, landed in Bos-
ton. There are 2,000 bales new clip
Australian already in Boston. The
largest sale was of defective California
on a basis of 33 cents scoured.

Nebraska Senatorship.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 2.—The four-
teenth joint ballot on United States
senator resulted as follows: Allen, 44;
Hitchcock, 13; W. H. Thompson, 7;
Meredit, 23; D. E. Thompson, 31;
Meiklejohn, 24; Hunsaw, 13; Rose-
water, 17; Currie, 20; Haines, 4;
Crouse, 5; Martin, 9; Kinkaid, 4;
scattering, 4.

Li Hung Chang's Health.

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ter at Peking, has not alluded to his ill-
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WILL BUILD A SWITCH.

Youngstown, O., Feb. 2.—The Rich-
land and Mahoning railway will con-
nect with the P. & L. E. here and build
through to Mansfield, connecting with
the Big Four and Ft. Wayne, and
making a direct line from Pittsburg
to Chicago.

THE WEATHER.

Ohio—Snow tonight and Sunday;
rising temperature Sunday.

ANOTHER BLAZE.

Detroit, Feb. 2.—The Free Press
Printing Co., not the newspaper and
Drescott-Jupp Paper Co., burned out
this morning. Loss \$200,000.

BIG SCHEME

Which Contemplates a
Through Line,

Extending From the Atlantic
to the Pacific.

A Syndicate Propelling the Scheme
Has About Concluded Trans-
fers Necessary for Its
Consummation.

New York, Feb. 2.—Another railroad
transaction became known here when
the transfer of control of the Southern
Pacific company into the hands of a
syndicate in which Union Pacific inter-
ests predominate was announced. The
transaction completes the last link ne-
cessary for the establishment of a trans-
continental railroad under a single
control. This control is at present
vested in E. H. Harriman. The new
route includes the following lines, in
all of which, except the Southern Pa-
cific, Mr. Harriman is officially con-
nected: Starting at San Francisco, run-
ning over the Central Pacific and on
the Southern Pacific direct to Ogden
thence first over the Union Pacific to
Kansas City and thence over the Chi-
cago and Alton to Chicago, or second,
over the Union Pacific to Omaha and
thence over the Duquesne and Sioux
City branch of the Illinois Central di-
rect to Chicago, where the Baltimore
and Ohio connects direct to the Atlan-
tic seaboard.

Another Rumored Deal.

New York, Feb. 2.—John S. Wil-
liams, president of the Seaboard Air
line, had a conference with two or
three other railroad dignitaries. The
conference was reported to have been
in reference to a project for the pur-
chase of another southern railroad by
the Air line system. Mr. Williams de-
clined to turn questions as to whether
the Seaboard Air line contemplated
the purchase of or consolidation of in-
terests with the Chesapeake and Ohio,
the Norfolk and Western, Norfolk and
Southern and other lines. As to the
Mobile and Ohio system, however, he
was entirely noncommittal.

SESSION

Of Base Ball Players
Association.

The Cleveland Meeting Well
Attended.

A Prediction is Made That They
Will Go Over in a Body to
the American
League.

Cleveland, Feb. 2.—All the members
of the executive committee of the
Players' Protective association have
arrived here. The members of the com-
mittee are Charles Zimmer, H. L. Tay-
lor, Hugh Jennings and Clarke Griffith.
President Zimmer said that the league
magnates will realize just how strong
the Players' association is after the
meeting. A statement set out by Zim-
mer reads: "Every National League
player in the country is with us, and
if we decide to stick together, as we
surely will, what can the National
League magnates do? I am not fore-
casting our action, but I would like to
ask what would happen should we de-
cide to go over to the American League
in a body?"

Accepted a Reduction.

Youngstown, O., Feb. 2.—At all the
blast furnaces throughout the Mahon-
ing valley the bottom fillers and help-
ers accepted a reduction of 10 cents
per day in wages and a threatened
strike has been averted. At the Laura
furnace of the Republic Iron and Steel
company the employees known as *tres*
men, numbering 35, struck against
their wages being reduced from \$1.45
to \$1.35. This strike is expected to be
of short duration.

MARCUS

Is Having a Bit of Tough Sledding
on His Bill.

Much Opposition to the Job

Is Being Manifested by the Republican Senators
Who Remember the Pacific Mail and
Other Unsavory Subsidy Schemes
of the Past.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The opposition
to the shipping bill and the disposition
manifested in the senate to delay its
passage resulted in the calling of a
meeting of the Republican committee
on order of business for the purpose of
considering ways and means to secure
action on the bill. A decision was
reached to ask for earlier daily ses-
sions than have been held heretofore
and to make an effort next week to
secure night sessions. The opinion
was general that no extra session
should be had and the suggestion was
made that later there should be an ef-
fort to get legislation on the Spooner
Philippine bill. Some senators ex-
pressed the view that if the Spooner
bill or some similar measure could be
favorably acted upon before March 4,
the principal reason for a called ses-
sion would be removed.

It has been suggested that a Repub-
lican caucus should be held to develop
whether it is true, as claimed, that a
number of Republican senators are op-
posed to the shipping bill.

Shipping Bill Debate.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The shipping
bill was kept steadily at the front in
the senate. Mr. Rawlins (Utah) and
Berry (Ark.) occupied most of the time
in speeches of vigorous opposition. A

spirited discussion was precipitated by
an amendment offered by Mr. Gray
(Ga.), proposing to link the Nicaragua
canal bill with the shipping bill. The
proposition was strenuously opposed
by Mr. Frye and Mr. Chandler, a cal-
culated to embarrass and delay the
shipping bill. Mr. Frye appealed to
senators to permit the majority, after
fair debate, to assume its responsibil-
ities as a majority of passing the ship-
ping bill. Messrs. Jones (Ark.) and
Teller (Colo.) took a hand in the dis-
cussion, insisting there should be no
limitation of debate.

Omnibus Claims Bill.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The house
passed an omnibus bill covering 100
claims for stores and supplies furnished
the Union army during the rebellion.
The claims were passed on by the com-
mittee and aggregated \$34,154.
Practically all the beneficiaries reside
in the south. Considerable opposition
to the bill was displayed under the
leadership of Mr. Cannon, the chair-
man of the appropriations committee.
The bill to amend the Chinese exclu-
sion act with a view to prevent great
fraudulent entry of Chinese into the
United States was passed, as were sev-
eral other bills of minor importance.

FEARS LYNCHING

Should the Indignant People Succeed
in Catching Him.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 2.—Wm. Wilson,
the negro fiend, who assaulted aged
Mrs. Wilkins in Nottoway county a
week ago, and for whom the mob of
lynchers searched for four days, was
captured by four officers in Ports-

mouth early this morning, after a
desperate struggle on the roof of a
three story house, from which he at-
tempted to jump. Wilson confessed
and begs not to be carried back to
Nottoway county, where he says he
surely will be lynched.

Prize Fight in Supreme Court.

Cincinnati, Feb. 2.—Judge Hollis-
ter has set the hearing of the injunc-
tion case against the Saengerfest
board's attorneys, says, possibly the
fight for Tuesday morning. No mat-
ter which side wins, the case will be

rushed to the supreme court, at once.
Judge Wilson, one of the Saengerfest
board's attorneys, says, possibly the
fight may be postponed two weeks to
give time to fight the case through
the courts.

Wu Has the Automobile Habit.

Washington, Feb. 2.—McKinley and
his cabinet, Dewey, Gen. Miles and
30 representatives of the foreign
powers attended memorial services to
the Queen at St. Johns church this

morning. The foreigners were in
splendid in court dress. Among
them was the Chinese Minister Wu,
in official robes and he came in his
locomobile.

New York Pays Tribute to Queen.

New York, Feb. 2.—Marked honors
were paid to the late Queen in New
York today. There was considerable
suspension of business. All ex-

changes except coffee and mercantile
houses were closed. Wall street is
practically deserted. This afternoon
services will be held at Trinity, St.
Pauls and other churches.

He Picks Up a Jug Containing Poison.

Battle Creek, Mich., Feb. 2.—Ar-
thur Jones stepped into Gerould's
drug store and asked for a drink of
water Friday. He was directed to the

back room and poured out a drink
from a jug that proved to be cyanide
poison. He dropped dead in-
stantly. He had picked up the wrong
jug.

A Lively Meeting is Anticipated.

Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 2.—At the
soft coal joint conference operators
will vote for a renewal of last year's
scale with a 10 per cent reduction.
The miners will vote for an advance-

ment of 10 per cent, and the adoption
of the run of mine system and a re-
adjustment between pick and machine
mining. The vote will be a tie.
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TOPICS

For Divine Services Tomorrow

Where the Day of Rest is Observed.

Hours at Which Religious Services Will be Held in the City. Interesting Sermons are Promised.

Union Street Lutheran Church.

Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Morning services (German and English) at 10:15 o'clock. Monthly meeting of the church council as well as quarterly meeting of the congregation at the close of the morning service. Luther League at 6 p. m. Evening service at 7 o'clock. You are invited to these services. Carl Ackerman, pastor.

German Reformed Church

West Wayne street. Sunday school promptly at 9 a. m. Regular services at 10 o'clock and at 7; members and friends are urged to attend. The regular meeting of the consistory will be held in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet next Wednesday at 2 p. m. with Mrs. Wessler on West Kirby street. Paul H. Land, pastor.

Spring Street Lutheran Church.

Cor. West Spring and Pierce streets. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Worship and sermon at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Junior Endeavor at 2 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m. Everybody welcome. I. J. Miller, pastor.

West Wayne St. Church of Christ.

W. A. Bunnage, pastor. There will be regular services as follows: Bible school at 9:15; H. Tracy, supt. Subject of sermon at 10:30, "Salvation in Type." At 6 o'clock the Y. P. S. C. E. will have an interesting service on "The Twentieth Anniversary of the Society." This will be followed by a special address to the society and the church to which everybody are invited to be present.

Main St. Presbyterian Church

Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m.; preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m., subject: "Resisting the Spirit," and at 7:15 p. m., subject: "Tolerated Slavery." C. E. service at 6:30 and service for prayer and bible study at 7:15 Wednesday evening. All made welcome. W. G. Smith, pastor.

Trinity M. E. Church.

General class, 9 a. m., worship and sermon by pastor, 10 a. m., subject of sermon, "God a Habitualist." Sunday school, 11:30 a. m.; Junior League, 6 p. m.; Miss Riggs, superintendent of Epworth devotional meeting, 6 p. m.; worship and sermon, 7 p. m., subject of sermon, "The History of a Fool." Probationers will be received at the morning service.

U. B. Church.

Corner of Spring and Union streets. Sabbath school at 9, James Ogden, superintendent. Special bible services at 10:15 and revival services at 7:15. Junior Young Peoples services at 2:30. Minnie Vermillion, leader. Young Peoples Christian Union at 6:30. C. W. Miller, president. Already quite a number have been converted and added to the church during the few days the revival has been in progress.

First Congregational Church

South Elizabeth street near Market. The pastor will preach at 10 a. m., and 7 p. m., evening subject: "Twenty Years of Christian Endeavor." Bible school at 11:15 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m.; prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7, followed at 8 by Sunday school teachers' meeting. Superintendent C. W. Hardy, leader. All seats free at all services. Strangers cordially welcomed. I. J. Swanson, pastor.

Solarville Church.

Solarville Mission church, on Third street, between C. H. and D. and L. E. W. railroads. Sabbath school, 1:30; Y. P. U., 6:30; preaching, 7:30, subject: "Women's Mission." Thursday, 2 p. m., bible reading, subject, "The Coming of Christ." Friday, 7 p. m., prayer and praise meeting. We are glad to announce that Prof. C. C. Miller, superintendent of public schools will be here Feb. 3rd to address the Sabbath school. Come out and hear him. A. D. Welty, pastor.

West Market Presbyterian Church.

Corner of Market and West streets. Preaching by the pastor, Robert J. Thompson, D. D., subject at 10:30 a. m., "Baptism as a Governing Principle," at 7 p. m., "Wanted—Men With Iron in Their Blood." Sunday school at 9:15. Junior Endeavor at 3. Senior Endeavor at 6 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7, followed by teachers' meeting for the study of the Sunday school lesson. The public cordially welcome.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

Corner North and Elizabeth streets, Rev. F. P. Bossart, pastor. Services at 10:15 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "The Law of Service," evening subject, "Rehearsal's Reforms." Sunday school at 9 a. m. Junior League at 3 p. m. Luther League at 6:15 p. m. Catechism for adults on Tuesday evening at 7. Monthly meeting of the Dime society Wednesday at 7 p. m. Teacher's meeting and

Bible study Friday at 7 p. m. Regular catechism Saturday at 2 p. m. The seats are free, and all are welcome.

Christian Catholic Church.

Salvation, healing, holy living. Services at Zion Tabernacle, on south Main street, every Lord's day. Subject at 2:30, "Repentance, What it is; the Necessity of Repentance; its Practical Value." S. Moot, elder in charge.

First Church of Christian Scientist.

Masonic building. Services Sunday morning at 10:30, subject of bible lesson: "Spirit," John 3:1, 13, 34. Sunday school follows the morning service. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:30. This is a testimonial meeting. The reading room is open to the public daily, except Sunday, from 1 to 5 p. m., and on Tuesday and Friday evenings from 7 to 9. All literature on the subject of Christian Science may be found here and all who desire to know something of this subject are cordially invited.

First Baptist Church.

Central avenue, between High and Market streets; Rev. J. H. Deere, pastor. Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching service at 10:30 a. m.; subject, "Victory Through Christ." B. Y. P. U. at 6 p. m. Instead of the regular evening service, Rev. F. G. Cressy, of Dayton, will give a stereoscopic missionary lecture on China. Everybody is invited.

West Lima Congregational Church

Corner of High and Cole street, J. G. Thomas, pastor. Sunday school at 2. Service at 7 p. m., sermon by pastor. Prayer meeting Thursday evening. Choir rehearsal at close of Sunday school. A cordial invitation to all.

South Side Church of Christ

Great interest characterized the meeting last night at the revival. There were five additions; one hundred and forty-six up to date. The meetings start off to another week full of hope and promise. A rally spirit will be put into the Sunday services. Sunday school at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 6 p. m.

LAGRIFFE QUICKLY CURED.

"In the winter of 1898 and 1899 I was taken down with a severe attack of what is called in grippe," says F. L. Hackett, a prominent druggist of Winfield, Ill. "The only medicine I used was two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It broke up the cold and stopped the coughing like magic, and I have never since been troubled with grip." Chamberlain's Cough Remedy can always be depended upon to break up a severe cold and ward off any threatened attack of pneumonia. It is pleasant to take, too, which makes it the most desirable and one of the most popular preparations in use for these ailments. For sale by all druggists.

EVERY-DAY DEDUCTIONS.

A good book is a tonic for the mind. Faith and hope may die, but charity is immortal. The more a wise man thinks the less he is apt to talk.

Poetical genius is often but an uncommon degree of imagination. Selfishness is the root of many undesirable specimens of prosperity.

You may be unable to oblige, but you can at least speak obligingly. What poor, defenseless creatures women would be if they couldn't cry!

An enraged man tears his hair; an enraged woman tears her husband's hair. Good resolutions and ladies who faint in a crowd should always be carried out.

Says a rural editor: "Money is close—but not quite close enough for us to reach it."

An artist's wife never admires her husband's work so much as when he is drawing a check for her.

There are times when a man expresses the same idea by wagging his head that a dog does by wagging his tail.

It seems that woman was made a little in advance of mirrors—and she has managed to keep in front of them ever since.

A tricky lawyer is like a man troubled with insomnia—he lies first on one side, then on the other, and is wide awake the whole time.

"I had been in bed three weeks with grip when my husband brought me Dr. Miles' Nerveine, Pain Pills and Nerve and Liver Pills. I was cured."—Mrs. J. Behner, Franklin, Ind.

WHAT ONE WOMAN THINKS.

According to a man, the only secret a woman can keep is that of her age. The people who pride themselves on being determined are sometimes only contrary.

It is a poor sort of consolation for people in trouble to say things might have been worse.

Some women feel very lonely in heaven if there is not a cook stove or a scrubbing brush there. Some women try very hard to win a man's love and then seem to forget they must try just as hard to keep it.—Philadelphia Times.

The best protection against fever, pneumonia, diphtheria, etc., is in building up the system with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

VENEZUELA DEFIANT.

American Companies to Be Dispossessed at Pich Lake.
 Port of Spain, Trinidad, Feb. 2.—The Venezuelan government continues to maintain a defiant attitude toward the United States. The report is now circulated that President Castro, having troops at his disposal in the eastern provinces since his victory there over the insurgents, will send a regiment to dispossess the Americans at Pich Lake. The company will resist, but no doubt it will be ousted if the threatened attempt is made unless large reinforcements would inevitably ensue. Mr. Loomis, the United States minister, is trying to compromise matters, but he is met in an unfriendly spirit by the government of Venezuela.

A Lay-Down.

Lasalle, Ills., Feb. 2.—Sig Hart of Chicago was knocked out in the second round of what was to have been a 10-round bout by Eddie Sprague of Streator. All bets were declared off by Referee Finkler, and Hart's share of the purse was given to St. Mary's hospital here, as the management concluded he "laid down." Hart was to have met Tommy Larkin of Streator, but the latter refused to go on unless the management guaranteed the purse, and Sprague was substituted.

Andrade Located.

Santiago de Cuba, Feb. 2.—Senor Ignacio Andrade, former president of Venezuela, who was reported to have left San Juan de Porto Rico last Tuesday for Cuba, traveling incognito, with the intention of meeting a filibustering expedition bound for Venezuela, did not touch at this port. Information from reliable private sources says that he has already landed at Havana and expects to start for Puerto Cabello soon.

Child Labor in Cotton Mills.

Columbia, S. C., Feb. 2.—The legislature for the second time has killed a bill to prohibit child labor in cotton mills. His action was based upon the fact that the 9,000 mill operatives in the Piedmont section presented petitions asking to be let alone. In their section the mills furnish theaters, schools and churches, but in other places, it is alleged, a system of bondage is being fostered.

Sipido Wants Out.

Brussels, Feb. 2.—The father of Jean Baptiste Sipido, who shot at the then Prince of Wales in Brussels last April and who in July was sentenced to a reformatory until he should have attained his majority, has petitioned King Leopold to pardon him. He has also addressed a petition to King Edward VII, asking him to support the appeal.

Three Outs.

Milwaukee, Feb. 2.—Jage Magner of this city was awarded the decision over Clarence Clas of Chicago on a foul in the third round here. Mike Irish of Milwaukee knocked out Harry Shepard of Springfield, O., in two rounds, and Al Gear stopped Kid Howard of Chicago in 30 seconds.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, Feb. 2.—Statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption: Available cash balance, \$143,812,973; gold, \$71,185,644.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and stock prices for Feb. 1.
 CHICAGO—Cattle: Good to prime steers, \$10.65 to \$11.00; poor to mediums, \$9.65 to \$10.00; stockers and feeders, \$9.00 to \$9.50; cows, \$8.50 to \$9.00; heifers, \$8.75 to \$9.25; calves, \$9.00 to \$9.50; bulls, \$8.75 to \$9.25. Texas fed steers, \$10.00 to \$10.50; Texas grass steers, \$9.50 to \$10.00; Texas bulls, \$8.50 to \$9.00; calves, \$9.00 to \$9.50; heifers, \$8.50 to \$9.00; cows, \$8.00 to \$8.50; sheep, \$8.50 to \$9.00; goats, \$8.00 to \$8.50; hogs, \$10.00 to \$10.50; pigs, \$9.50 to \$10.00; chickens, \$10.00 to \$10.50; turkeys, \$10.00 to \$10.50; ducks, \$10.00 to \$10.50; geese, \$10.00 to \$10.50; corn, \$1.00 to \$1.10; wheat, \$1.20 to \$1.30; oats, \$0.80 to \$0.90; barley, \$0.90 to \$1.00; rye, \$0.90 to \$1.00; clover, \$1.00 to \$1.10; alfalfa, \$1.00 to \$1.10; timothy, \$1.00 to \$1.10; hay, \$1.00 to \$1.10; straw, \$0.50 to \$0.60; wood, \$0.50 to \$0.60; coal, \$0.50 to \$0.60; oil, \$0.50 to \$0.60; sugar, \$0.50 to \$0.60; flour, \$0.50 to \$0.60; cotton, \$0.50 to \$0.60; wool, \$0.50 to \$0.60; rubber, \$0.50 to \$0.60; leather, \$0.50 to \$0.60; glass, \$0.50 to \$0.60; paper, \$0.50 to \$0.60; brick, \$0.50 to \$0.60; stone, \$0.50 to \$0.60; lime, \$0.50 to \$0.60; cement, \$0.50 to \$0.60; 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REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. H. ROUSH, of Bath township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. MANGES, of Richland township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. J. BARR, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of M. SUMMERS, JR., of Marion township, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of JACOB KESSEL, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. A. STATES, of Monroe township, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

INFIRMARY DIRECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. L. BECHTOL, of German township, as a candidate for Infirmary Director of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county, at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of CHARLES GOBLE, of Richland township, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county, at the primary election.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

We are authorized to announce the name of DAVID STEPLETON, of Shawnee township, as a candidate for Commissioner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of ALBERT HEFNER, of Perry township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

CORONOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. T. M. JOHNSTON, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for Coronor of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. ANDREW BICE, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for Coronor of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

ENLISTING THE NEW ARMY.

It is one thing for congress to pass a bill authorizing an increase of the regular army to 100,000 men. It may prove quite another and more difficult thing to get the men. The necessity for haste in passing the bill indicates this. The great bulk of the new recruits will be needed in the Philippines by July next. If the Philippine service was a desirable one it could be largely provided for by the re-enlistment of the men whose terms are about expiring. They are already drilled and acclimated and would be

the best soldiers for that service. But they have had enough, and more than enough, of soldiering in the Philippines for the present. They want to come home, and home they will come as soon as their term of service expires, no matter what inducements for re-enlistment may be offered. Some of them after a visit home, will be willing to go back on the chance of being able to settle in that section when the war is over, but for the present the volunteers in the Philippines are homesick and more anxious for a sight of home and old friends than to continue guerrilla fighting even with the chance of getting a rich plantation, or something equally as good, as a reward of their dangerous service.

This means that the Philippine army must be replaced with new men within the next half year. To get these men will be no easy task. The army of tramps, bums and other delinquents who are out of employment in good times or bad contains no material for soldiers. The class of men physically and mentally suitable for the regular military service are already employed at better than army wages, under conditions far more comfortable than army life in the Philippines can possibly be. While it might not be at all difficult to recruit a 100,000 good men for the regular army service in a time of business depression, it will prove a slow process at present. Shooting Filipinos and being shot at in return for a private soldier's pay is not an alluring change for a man who is able to earn better wages in a healthy climate where no bullets are flying.

Since 1874 the German empire has had a law making vaccination obligatory in the first year of life, and vaccination in the tenth year. The law is the result of the epidemic of 1871, when there were 143,000 deaths among a population in which vaccination had been allowed to die out. Prior to 1874 the yearly loss in Germany from smallpox was from 15,000 to 20,000; it is now less than 116.

Before the Courts.

Wichita, Kan., Feb. 2.—The question as to whether property used as a saloon in Kansas is entitled to the protection of law is now squarely before the courts and will be decided some time next month. A few weeks ago Mrs. Sheriff, the woman who led the destructive raid at Anthony on Wednesday, smashed a saloon at Danville, Harper county. Frank Osborne, the owner of the building, has now brought suit against her in the district court for damages.

Mrs. Nation's Amazons.

Topeka, Feb. 2.—Topeka "Joint keepers" are on the qui vive, expecting a visit from Mrs. Carrie Nation. She announced that her band, organized on Tuesday, had reached a membership of 89, and that now she had all the assistance necessary to wipe out Topeka's 120 saloons. Among those who have volunteered to help Mrs. Nation are many young women students of Washburne college and followers of Rev. Charles M. Sheldon.

Spilled His Booze.

Hlawatha, Kan., Feb. 2.—E. J. Fichtel, a local druggist, made public his determination to destroy all the liquor in his store. He emptied a barrel of whisky into the sewer and announced that he will publicly destroy the remainder of his supply of liquors. The affair will be made one of rejoicing, the local ministers and the public having been invited to attend.

New Filipino Party.

Manila, Feb. 2.—An attempt is being made to interest Americans here in the organization of a party which would adopt a republican platform, possibly modified to suit the situation in the Philippines, and would declare for peace on these lines, similar to those of the Federal party. The projectors admit that the scheme would be antagonistic in a sense to the Federal party. They say they are apprehensive regarding the increasing influence of the Federalists, especially since the latter have secured the backing and semi-official encouragement of the American authorities.

Anti-Clerical War.

Paris, Feb. 2.—One phase of the anti-clerical war in France is the prohibition of wearing ecclesiastical garb, within his commune, by the mayor of Kremlin-Bicêtre, near Paris. His example has been followed by a number of other fanatically anti-clerical mayors throughout France. A test case was decided regarding the village of Persan. The judges dismissed the prosecution against five priests, holding that the mayoral decrees are all illegal and that only the government could issue such edicts.

Train Telescoped.

Ashtabula, O., Feb. 2.—A Bessemer passenger train telescoped a Nickel Plate freight at Wallace Junction, Pa. Freight Conductor Peter Donahue was killed and 20 passengers injured. A caboose and an engine were burned.

Turf Winners.

At New Orleans—Derick, Tridize, Bess, Yaro, Winchell, Regent.
At San Francisco—Edinburgh, Rory Oagh, Florida, Mareta, Jerid, Andratum.

SHIP SUBSIDIES.

THE DIVISION OF THE SPOILS.

Who Will Get the Subsidy Under the Pending Bill?

When a proposition to loot the public treasury, like that of the Hanna-Frye-Payne ship subsidy bill, is brought forward, it is always loudly heralded as a beneficent system of prizes for which all citizens so disposed can engage in stimulating competition. There is usually a "nigger in the wood pile" with such assertions, as we all know, but it is not often that he is so easily discovered as in the case of this impudent measure. Accepting on their face the figures put forth by the friends of the bill, some of which are most palpably falsified, the facts are that about nine-tenths of all full subsidies upon existing steamships of 12 knots speed or over would be gobbled up by just four concerns, which it is well known are those from whom the bill has emanated. These are the International Navigation company, owned by the Pennsylvania railroad and the Standard Oil circle, which would get over \$1,100,000, or with the Paris on her full service again about \$1,500,000; the Pacific Mail, \$157,000; the Ward line to Cuba and Mexico, \$42,000, and the American Mail company, owned by the principal stockholders in the Ward line, whose share would be \$102,000, bringing up the interest of that clique to from one-half to one-third that of the Standard Oil crowd.

Outside of these companies, receiving in all about \$2,000,000, there are nine more whose vessels would be eligible to a share in full subsidy, but who must be content with a meager \$209,000 divided up among them. More than half even of this sum goes to one concern, the Pacific Coast company, which has already enjoyed an exceptional amount of governmental favors in connection with transfer service to the Philippines.

Of foreign built ships which are to receive only one-half subsidy the International Navigation company is estimated to claim only a modest \$250,000, added to the subsidy on its express steamers as noted above, but the Standard Oil interest in its ownership has quite a little fleet of vessels of its own which, unless excluded by the tank oil amendment introduced in the senate, will probably come in for an additional \$230,000, while the Atlantic Transport company, whose affiliations have been growing closer through Pennsylvania railroad shareholdings, is set down for a \$34,000 plum in the pie. Still Chesapeake and Ohio will have a right to demand \$102,000 on its boats, but a search out of this little party does not reveal enough American owners to enjoy as much all told as the smallest of the interests just enumerated.

That there may be changes in the future cannot of course be disputed, but these must come slowly for outside interests that had not been laying their plans in advance as had the group which have prepared and are backing the bill. That these latter gentlemen have not been anxious to pose as foolish virgins may be discovered on looking up the position of affairs as to vessels now under construction in the various shipyards. On the Pacific waters the leading interest next to the Pacific Mail and Pacific Coast companies is the United Fruit company, which has been particularly large meat of government pay in transport service, and this may have rendered them a little sluggish at getting into the pool, but they are just putting some new boats into operation, from which they expect to draw \$242,000 subsidy annually, about a fifth of their value—something, at least, to keep the wolf from the door.

In the way of looking to the future, however, no one can accuse the International Navigation company with being imprudent, and we accordingly find among the owners of vessels under construction entitled to subsidy they again lead the list with about \$408,000 prospective benefits to their credit, while the Pacific Mail are close on their heels here, as they look for \$433,000 additional when they get their new boats. Curiously enough, the Ward people have only \$185,000 subsidy capacity under way, the smallest of any of the leading conspirators, although for requirements of trade proper we might expect them to be at the head, as a number of their vessels are growing old, and theirs is notably the most prosperous of all our transportation companies, with the exception of the Mallory line, who are honorably distinguished, by the way, in a practical absence from the list of subsidy beneficiaries.

Still another classification under this inquiry is that of vessels building abroad, and here we find that the ubiquitous International company with \$397,000 in sight and the Atlantic Transport with \$510,000 are the only ones that seem to have improved the shining hour, but as those two will have nine times as much coming to them from this source as all outside interests they are readily seen to have nobly kept up the average.

Summarizing the situation, it would appear that of subsidy benefits that can now be calculated upon the International company would have about \$2,500,000 annually; the Ward interests, \$729,000; Atlantic Transport, \$844,000; Pacific Mail, \$590,000; Standard Oil, \$250,000; Spreckels, \$212,000; Pacific Coast, \$120,000; Chesapeake and Ohio, \$103,000, or, say, \$5,350,000 among these eight concerns, while all other possible interests in sight (including \$383,000 to the Great Northern railroad, which has not asked for subsidy at all), would be able to draw \$673,000 only. Further comment seems unnecessary.

CRASHED

Into Carroll & Cooney's Delivery Wagon

Did a Car on Wayne Street Line at Noon.

Horse so Badly Injured That It Had to be Shot and the Driver Was Also Painfully Hurt.

The first accident of any consequence to occur on the street railroad for a long time happened just at noon today, when car 32, in charge of motorman Knoop, struck Carroll & Cooney's delivery wagon at Wayne street and Central avenue. Both the wagon and car were going east and the collision occurred as the driver, Harry Vanatta, turned the horse across the track. He claims that he heard no warning and did not know there was a car behind him.

The shock was a severe one, as results prove. The wagon was broken, the horse so badly injured that it had to be shot, and Mr. Vanatta had a narrow escape. At it is, he is suffering with a sprained side, a cut on the arm and another on the head. He was examined by a physician and while one of his ribs was found to be injured there is no fracture.

Motorman Knoop says that only two people saw the accident, but when he approached them he discovered they were intoxicated and could not talk intelligently.

He declares that both he and the conductor were ringing the bells and that owing to the down grade it was impossible to check the car sufficiently to avoid an accident.

PNEUMONIA

Causes the Death of Infant Frederick Leitner.

Frederick, the three months old son to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Leitner, of 716 north Jackson street, died at 2 o'clock this morning, death resulting from pneumonia, which followed an attack of whooping cough.

Funeral will be held from the German Reformed church at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Nothing Sner than Crawford-Taylor Lilly Butter Crackers. Ask your grocer for them. jan31-3w-rod.

COAL! COAL!! COAL!!!
At Wood's feed store, 700 south Main street.

BOTKINS' MAYOR DEAD.

J. D. Greve, mayor of Botkins, died yesterday from the effects of la grippe. Mr. Greve was one of the most prominent citizens of that place, having always taken a great interest in politics and public affairs. From 1874 to 1876 he served Dismore township as trustee and from 1883 to 1885 was township clerk. From 1884 to 1888 he was postmaster of Botkins. He was justice of the peace since 1894. In 1897 he was elected mayor, and was serving in that office when death overtook him. He was an efficient and painstaking official and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the Botkins Catholic church, Rev. Henry Daniel will officiate.

SHOPS

Of the Lake Erie & Western

Will be Enlarged at Indianapolis.

Remored That the Lima Shops will be Removed to that City. Work Will be Commenced at Once.

Indianapolis, Feb. 2.—Deeds were filed for the purchase by the Lake Erie and Western Railroad company of 48 acres at the northern edge of the city, on which it proposes to centralize all its shops and eventually remove to the new location its shops at Paris, Lafayette and Lima. Switches will be erected at once and the buildings will be started. The purchase of the site ends a long struggle the road has been making for a site for shops here.

PROMOTED

To Superintendency of Western Division.

S. K. Blair Again Receives a Boost

In the General Shake Up of Officials on the Nickel Plate, Gorham Goes to Buffalo.

A change that has shaken up the official roster of the Nickel Plate will go into effect March first, and the announcement brings good news to those who remember S. K. Blair, a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Mitchell, and who was formerly chief train dispatcher in this city for the C. H. & D.

The reason for the change is the desire to bring about the same excellent condition of affairs on the eastern division of the road, which has its headquarters at Buffalo, as has for long existed on the western division, operated in Fort Wayne. To accomplish this Supt. C. D. Gorham of the western division is to be transferred to Buffalo in the same official capacity, and Mr. Blair, who is now trainmaster of the road will be advanced to the position of superintendent of the western division. The present chief train dispatcher at Fort Wayne, D. H. Caldwell, will be promoted to trainmaster, but his successor has not been named. Observing the policy of promotion, however, one of the dispatchers in the office will likely succeed him.

Mr. Blair's railway career dates from 1872, when he became a telegraph operator at Sidney, O., for the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton road, says the Fort Wayne Sentinel, commenting upon the change. He was transferred thence to various places along that line of railway, his final service with the company being in the dispatcher's office in Lima, O. September 30, 1882, Mr. Blair came to Fort Wayne and took service as a dispatcher with the Nickel Plate. In 1885 he was appointed chief dispatcher, and three years later, on June 1, 1888, he assumed the office of trainmaster. He is now elevated to a superintendency, a position which he is fully capable of filling, and as he has not yet passed his fiftieth year there are yet rounds in the ladder above him that he may reach in climbing toward the pinnacle of success.

"Tina's safe to be a day without Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Never can tell what moment an accident is going to happen."

SMASHED A JOINT.

A Nebraska Woman Emulates Mrs. Nation—Also Struck a Snag. Sioux City, Ia., Feb. 2.—Fifteen or 20 imitators of Mrs. Nation got in their work at South Sioux City, Neb., a suburb of Sioux City, just across the Missouri river. Accompanied by Captain William Luther, marshal of the town, they marched to John Poyson's joint. The place was locked and Captain Luther kicked in the front door. Mrs. C. P. Dow attacked a slot machine, and then all the women set about carrying out the furniture and everything they could lay hands on, depositing it in the street. No whisky was found. The crowd then moved towards John Blenkiron's building, in which George Ammerman is said to keep a gambling room. Blenkiron announced that if any one went into his building it would be over his dead body. The women decided not to try. They say they are not yet through.

Hell Holes. Bombay, Feb. 2.—The famine commission at Ahmedabad, in the presidency of Bombay, the chairman of which is Sir Anthony MacDonnell, has made some very strong remarks regarding the enormous mortality in the Gzerat famine camps. The commission asserts that the people there "died like flies while subjected to excessive tasks," and that "totally inadequate provision was made in the way of famine relief." These strictures are regarded as a condemnation of the Bombay famine administration.

THE MEAT OF IT.

Interesting News Notes From All Quarters of the Globe. W. B. Foye, 50, prominent druggist, dropped dead at Marion, O. At New York John Mason, a defaulting clerk, committed suicide. Union Pacific company has acquired control of the Southern Pacific. Paterson assassins of Jennie Boschier transferred to the state prison at Trenton. Arthur Barnard, the missing Chicago bank teller, turns up alive and well. Was not kidnapped. John Leon, Italian sculptor, died at St. Louis of an injury sustained at the Chicago world's fair.

RELEASED

Dayton Requests the Arrest of A. H. Van Norman,

And Then Notifies the Lima Officers That the Prosecuting Witness Has Disappeared—A Loss Reported.

Yesterday afternoon Lieut. Wingate apprehended and arrested Albert H. Van Norman, a well known young man whose home was formerly in this city, but who has been located in Dayton most of the time during the last few years. The Dayton chief of police requested Van Norman's arrest, but did not state specifically what the charge was on which he was wanted. Last night, upon being notified of the young man's arrest, the Dayton officer stated that a detective would arrive here this morning to take charge of the prisoner, but today another message was received announcing that the prosecuting witness had disappeared and that Van Norman should be released.

One communication from the Gen. City alleged that Van Norman had represented himself to be a single man but had a wife in Dayton.

Today, the loss of a valuable beaver collar, belonging to Mrs. H. M. Colvin, was reported to the police. It is believed to have been stolen.

LOCAL CAR

Telescoped by a Coal Car in P. Ft. W. & C. Yards.

Combination Car Was Wrecked and a Stove Was Overturned. Fire Department Called Out.

This afternoon a coal car which was in a cut coupled onto a switch engine collided with and telescoped a combination car on the west bound local train in the P. Ft. W. & C. yards, between Main and Elizabeth streets. The combination car was badly wrecked and the stove in it was overturned. Fearing the wreck would be set afire the railroad men called out the fire department but the services of the firemen were not needed.

B. OF R. T. NOTICE.

The Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen are today removing from the Donze block in their new quarters in the Cabell block. They will hold their first meeting there tomorrow.

JOE MOSS

Was Indicted by the Late Grand Jury

For the Part He Took in Trying to Prevent Arrest of His Brother. He is Now in Jail.

Sheriff Bogart arrested Joe Moss on the street this morning and took him to jail to await trial on the charge of assault. The grand jury indicted Moss for interfering with officer Mills when the latter was endeavoring to arrest Charlie Moss for disorderly conduct in the square Christmas night. Officer Mills called on Pete Munagh to assist him and the latter had his leg broken in the scrimmage. Moss was turned over by Mayor McComb and the grand jury very promptly indicted him.

New Suits. Mary C. Rowlands vs. City of Lima, equitable relief; Ridenour & Halfhill. Estella V. Rowlands vs. City of Lima, equitable relief; Ridenour & Halfhill. Calvin A. Hileary vs. City of Lima, equitable relief; Ridenour & Halfhill. C. A. Mauk vs. L. W. Jackson, cognovit; R. R. Kennedy. Marriage Licenses. Sidney L. Curtiss, aged 22, stone-mason and Pearl Ball, aged 27, both of Lima.

Real Estate Transfers. Mary Ellen and Edward W. Roberts to John D. Williams et al, land in Sugar Creek township, \$4350.

Thomas K. Jacobs to Rachel A. Harrison, lot Co. 4027 in T. K. Jacobs 1st addition to the city of Lima, \$1000.

Emanuel W. Sheller and wife to Wm. C. Hillman, 54 acres in Bath township, \$6000.

The hearing of the report of the surveyor on the Peters ditch will be had today.

THE ROOT OF THE MATTER.

He Cured Himself of Serious Stomach Trouble Down to First Principles.

A man of large affairs in one of our prominent eastern cities by too close attention to business, too little exercise and too many club dinners, finally began to pay nature's tax, levied in the form of chronic stomach trouble; the failure of his digestion brought about a nervous irritability making it impossible to apply himself to his daily business, and finally deranging the kidneys and heart.

In his own words he says: "I consulted one physician after another and each one seemed to understand my case, but all the same they each failed to bring about the return of my former digestion, appetite and vigor. For two years I went from pillar to post, from one sanitarium to another. I gave up smoking, I quit coffee and even renounced my daily glass or two of beer, but without any marked improvement."

"Friends had often advised me to try a well known proprietary medicine, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and I had often perused the newspaper advertisements of the remedy but never took any stock in advertised medicines nor could I believe a fifty-cent patent medicine would touch my case."

"To make a long story short I finally bought a couple of packages at the nearest drug store and took two or three tablets after each meal and occasionally a tablet between meals when I felt any feeling of nausea or discomfort."

"I was surprised at the end of the first week to note a marked improvement in my appetite and general health and before the two packages were gone I was certain that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets was going to cure me completely and they did not disappoint me. I can eat and sleep and enjoy my coffee and cigar and no one would suppose I had ever known the horrors of dyspepsia."

"Out of friendly curiosity I wrote to the proprietors of the remedy asking for information as to what the active ingredients were and they replied that the principal ingredients were vegetable pepsin (government best) malt diastase and other natural digestives, which digest food regardless of the condition of the stomach."

"The root of the matter is this, the digestive elements contained in Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest the food, give the overworked stomach a chance to recuperate and the nerves and whole system receive the nourishment which can only come from food. Stimulants and nerve tonics never give real strength, they give a false strength, in variably followed by reaction. Every drop of blood, every nerve and tissue is maintained from our daily food, and if you can insure its prompt action and complete digestion by the regular use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, you will have no need of nerve tonics and stimulants."

Although Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets have been in the market only a few years yet probably every druggist in the United States, Canada and Great Britain now sells them the most popular and successful of any preparation for stomach troubles.

SPECIAL EXCURSION

At low rates to Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, February 19th, via C. H. & D. railway. For further information, see ticket agent C. H. & D.

It's folly to suffer from that horrible plague of the night, itching piles. Doan's Ointment cures, quickly and permanently. At any drug store, 50 cents.

TO CURE THE GRIP.

Advice of a Famous Physician.

First and foremost, REST. Take care of yourself. Your already weakened nerves want rest, and must have it. If the attack is severe, go to bed and remain there. More fatalities result from neglect of this precaution than from any other cause. Eat sparingly. Your digestive organs are in no condition to take care of large quantities of food.

Drink plenty of pure, cold water. It allays the fever, stimulates the kidneys to action and opens up the pores of the skin. Keep the bowels open with Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills.

Take three doses of Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills. If you cannot sleep take an extra dose at bed time. To further control the fever, and to overcome the peculiar aches and pains of grip, use Dr. Miles' Pain Pills. They act quickly and effectively, and no bad effects result from their use. These remedies have been thoroughly tested more than a million times, and their effectiveness is thoroughly established. They never fail to give relief.

Dr. Miles' Remedies can be found at any drug store, and they are sold on a positive guarantee that first bottle or package contains money or is refunded.



A GREAT MAN'S IDEA.

GENIUS, as Ruskin defines it, is simply a superior power of seeing. Have you the genius to see how important an element in the success of your house-keeping is the use of Ivory Soap? Judged by the work it does Ivory is the cheapest soap in America to-day. It is harmless. Embroideries, laces and delicate stuffs should be washed only with Ivory Soap.

JUBILEE

Services at United Brethren Church Tomorrow,

In Celebration of the Successful Year Just Passed Wiping Out a Large Debt.

The United Brethren church will hold a jubilee service, Sabbath, expressing their gratitude to God for the bountiful blessings bestowed upon the church during the past year in the salvation of souls and payment of the debt on their new church.

When the present pastor, Rev. L. C. Reed, was appointed to the church September 1st, 1899. The debt on the church was over \$5,000. During his pastorate up to this time the debt has been reduced \$2,500. Of this amount the ladies of the church have paid \$575. The young people's societies and Sunday school have raised \$185. The pastor has collected from subscription \$680, also \$1,400 cash contributions. Within the last sixty days the church has made a free-will offering of over \$300.

This church is mostly composed of mechanics and shopmen who are not able to give largely, yet the average contribution was from \$5 to \$25 per family. The remaining debt is so arranged that the amount due per annum is not much more than has been paid last year in interest. The remaining debt is secured by notes and subscription, except a loan from the Church Extension Society a portion of which is now interest bearing. Taking the cost of the church into consideration, which was over \$16,000, and the circumstances under which it was built, the old church burning down, the rapid reduction of the debt is very encouraging to the congregation as well as commendable to their zeal, loyalty and benevolence to the church.

This church has also been greatly blessed in a spiritual way, there having been one hundred and sixty-five members added to the church during Rev. Reed's pastorate.

Can't be perfect health without pure blood. Burdock Blood Bitters makes pure blood. Tones and invigorates the whole system.

"I had grip three months; could not sleep, pain all over and headache very bad. Dr. Miles' Nerve and Brain Pills and Liver Pills made me well." Mrs. E. C. Bewley, Waterloo, Ind.

LECTURE ON CHINA.

Rev. F. G. Cressey, of Dayton, will give his stereopticon lecture on China at the First Baptist church tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock. Come and learn what God has wrought through our devoted missionaries in that turbulent country. Seats free. Everybody welcome. J. H. DEERE, Pastor.

"Failing to find relief from the grip with old methods, I took Dr. Miles' Pain Pills, Nerve and Brain Pills and Liver Pills and was permanently cured."—Orest, Egan, Jackson, Mich.

PREDICTS

The Road Will be Built in Eighteen Months.

Mr. Klinger is Satisfied That the Lima-Findlay Line Will be in Operation Within That Time.

"What's new regarding the proposed Lima-Findlay electric line?" was asked of Attorney Wm. Klinger by a Times reporter last night.

"Nothing has been done except to get the people along the proposed route to hustling for right of way and the prospect is so far encouraging," was the reply. "I have noticed," he continued, "several alleged interviews that I am supposed to have had with reporters on the Findlay papers, and which the Times naturally copied, but with the exception of a single instance I have not been approached by the authors of the articles in question and the comments have been purely original. I have been in Findlay twice recently, but my visits had nothing to do with the railroad matter, there being matters connected with my office of prosecuting attorney which necessitated my going. The fact that I was in the city and had registered at the hotel was all the inspiration it seems that the newspaper scouts at Findlay needed, and they elaborated to suit themselves."

"Yes, the road will be built and I feel positive that the line between Lima and Findlay will be in operation within eighteen months or two years at the farthest. It will be one of the best electric lines in the country and I cannot imagine one that covers a more desirable territory."

YOUR BEST WORK

Cannot be done unless you have good health. You cannot have good health without pure blood. You may have pure blood by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla now. You cannot realize the good it will do you until you try it. Begin taking it today and see how quickly it will give you an appetite, strengthen and vigor and cure your rheumatism, catarrh or scrofula.

All this are cured by Hood's Pills. 25 cents.

"When I was prostrated with grip and my heart and nerves were in bad shape, Dr. Miles' Nerve and Heart Cure gave me new life and health."—Mrs. Geo. Oble, Biga, Ills.

LIMA LODGE NO. 91 KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Will give a stag social Tuesday evening at Castle Hall. Game will begin at eight o'clock. All visiting Knights are cordially invited.

Flexible Fiber Plaster, manufactured by Philip Walther, does not crack, crumble or fall off. Jan. 28-1901.

A. O. H. NOTICE.

Special meeting Sunday at 4 p. m. All members of Divisions Nos. 1 and 2 are requested to be present.

CO. PRES.

GAS

The Cause of an Explosion

But No Injury

Resulted When the Gas Let Go.

The South Side Again Comes to the Front With a Budget of News.

A Sleigh Load of Jolly People Enjoyed a Fine Ride and Hospitable Treatment at Waynesfield Last Night.

This morning there was a slight gas explosion at the home of Mrs. W. D. Orwick, on Second street. She started the fire in the gas stove, but for some reason, the gas became extinguished. Not knowing how long it had been out, she relighted it, when the gas which filled the stove exploded, scattering the lids and blew down the pipe. Nothing more serious occurred.

A jolly party of south side persons enjoyed a ride over the "beautiful" to the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Howell, at Waynesfield last night. An oyster supper and other characteristic features made the event one of pleasant memories. They arrived home this morning at four o'clock, feeling well repaid for their loss of rest and sleep. Those who participated in the festivities were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Westover, J. A. Colbert and wife, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Van Horn, Mr. and Mrs. William Hammond, Robert Tuester and wife and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Smith.

A talk with railroad men reveals the fact that the practice of taking coal from the cars in the yards on the south side is increasing, instead of diminishing as was hoped. Local officials and trainmen have been aware of the appropriation of the fuel, a long while, doing nothing; in the hope of the persons finally discontinuing the practice. It is said scores of men and boys visit the cars nightly, carrying and carting away coal at an awful rate. Some not content with supplying themselves, furnishing their neighbors; a number of persons having established a profitable business, by selling coal in small quantities to people about town. It is estimated several tons of coal are taken every few weeks, the railroad companies being considerable the losers by a practice, which those following, do not seem to realize. It seems there is no way to stop the business, which at times even assumes an amusing nature.

Several months ago John Christopher, of the south side, lost a ten dollar gold piece. All searching was unavailing. Mr. Christopher became reconciled to the loss. Thursday the money was found when least thought of. Mrs. Christopher tore up one of her husbands old coats, when to her amazement, tucked neatly away in a part of the lining was the long lost coin.

A sleighing party conducted by the ever jolly John L. Thompson, of west Vine street, drove to the home of David Hester, five miles south of town, where they received a royal welcome, spending the time in many pleasant ways. An oyster supper and other events, winged away the time, only too rapidly; all returning home delighted with the affair.

The quarantine has been removed from the home of C. B. Clark, of McPherson avenue. The Clarks have been much afflicted recently, the entire family being ill at the same time. Mr. and Mrs. Clark each were confined by the grip, and their two children have just recovered from scarlet fever.

While skating on the side walk on south Main street this morning, two boys named Dolliver and Jackson were badly hurt by colliding with each other. The former had a tooth broken, and the latter, received a badly cut lip.

S. A. Lytle, clerk at Thompson's grocery, south Main street, is critically ill at his home on south Elizabeth street. A physician attended him last night and this morning. His friends hope for his early recovery.

Tomorrow, several sled loads of L. E. & W. machinists with their families and friends, will go sleighing to Waynesfield, where they will spend the day very pleasantly with relatives and friends.

G. P. Aldrich, accompanied by his brother, left today for Stanton, Va.

where they go to make their future home, having obtained positions with a railroad.

A party of their friends rode over from Cridersville last night, and were highly entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Glaze, at the Pine street home last evening.

Miss Martha Sutpon is seriously ill at her home on St. Johns avenue. F. F. Devos has returned to his Marion home, after a pleasant stay with south side relatives.

Miss Mayme Johnston, formerly of South Lima, is now employed in a large millinery house in Detroit. She has an elegant, responsible and lucrative position.

Master mechanic W. White, of the L. E. & W. shop, is the proud papa of a charming little lady that came to gladden their home yesterday.

Edward Goble returned yesterday from a visit with Ada relatives, and after a brief stay in South Lima, left for his home in Havelin.

Thomas Mullen is acting as round house foreman during the illness of Thomas Mack, who is confined to his home by la grippe.

Mrs. Lewis Metheany, of Ada, having been the guest of Mrs. Nora Stumm, of south Main street, has returned home.

Miss Ida Blackley, teacher in the west Kibby street school, took her scholars a several hours sleighing about the city last evening.

Edward Berry, of Reese avenue, met with a painful accident this morning, costing him the loss of one of the joints of his finger.

Ten couples of south side young people enjoyed a sleigh ride to Cridersville last night, reporting a pleasant time.

Jacob Miller, of south Elizabeth street, who has been ill several days, returned to work at the refinery this morning.

Miss Kate Dantsche, of Bellecenter, will spend Sunday with her friend, Miss Olive Freeman, on Pine street.

David E. Clinger, has returned from Findlay and Ada, where he was the guest of friends and relatives.

Charles Castle has returned from Albany, Ind., where he has been visiting his daughter the past few days.

Edward Glenn has resigned his position in the machine shop, and gone to Columbus, to visit several days.

Miss Jennie Lowe, of Urbana, is spending a few days with Miss Dora Cowing, of south Main street.

S. J. Emmerson and little son arrived in the city today to be the guests of relatives on the south side.

The South Lima Gun club will have a regular shoot at their grounds on south Main street, Monday.

Walter Ramsey left yesterday for Harrisburg, West Va., where he will make his future home.

Harry Robinson, left yesterday for Chicago, to accept a position with the North Western railroad.

Mrs. G. E. Nevill left last night for Cleveland, to join her husband, who is working there.

N. J. Derr and family, of Carthage, will be the guests of south side friends over Sunday.

There will be regular church services at the South Lima Baptist church tomorrow.

Pearl and Earl Mack have gone to Deshler to visit with their grandmother over Sunday.

H. E. Showers, of Detroit, is seriously ill at the home of Thomas Cayenaugh.

John Goodman, of Kenton, was a business caller on the south side this morning.

Arlo Musgrove went to Goshen, Ind., this morning, where he will spend the winter.

Mathew Scully left for Van Wert today, to spend Sunday with friends.

Patrick Fox is confined to his home by a severe attack of la grippe.

R. G. Porter left today for Celina, to visit with relatives over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Gowdy have gone to Ada to spend Sunday.

Frank Watt went to Ft. Wayne yesterday on business.

William McIlvaine and wife are visiting in Toledo.

Mrs. Daniel Snieder, of Laney avenue, is quite ill.

Harry Radchiff is still on the sick list.

"When the grip left me my nerves and heart were badly affected; but I began taking Dr. Miles' Nerve and Heart Cure and was soon all right."—Wm. Roericht, Ban Clair, Wis.

If you are building why not use Flexible Fiber Plaster manufactured by Philip Walther, and thus patronize a home industry. It costs no more than other plasters, and makes a wall that will not crack, crumble or fall off.

"Neglected colds make you graveyards." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup helps men and women overcome, vigorous old age.

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The Stock Reducing Sale

OF FURS, SUITS, WRAPS, LACE CURTAINS, Etc., goes on with increasing interest; do not delay until the lots are broken, but come now, and come prepared for the best bargains you have known; just because someone quotes a price as low as ours, does not mean the value is equal to ours.

1 pair only, Spachtel point white Lace Curtains, \$7.50 quality, for \$5.00.
1 pair only, Tambour white Lace Curtains, \$9.00 quality, for \$5.00.
2 pairs only, Brussels net white Lace Curtains, \$15.00 quality, for \$9.00.
Many lots of Nottingham Lace Curtains reduced in like proportion.

\$4.50 brown Oppossum Storm Collar, for \$3.00.
\$3.50 Natural Oppossum Scarf, 8 tails, \$2.50.
\$3.76 Electric Seal Boas, animal head, for \$2.50.
\$6.60 Tab front Electric and Coney collarette, \$4.00.
\$11.00 Electric—Princess Collarette, \$7.00.
\$18.00 Electric and Marten Collarette, \$10.00.
\$22.50 Electric and Mink Collarette, \$12.50.

\$18.00 Ladies' Tailor-made Suit of homespun cloth, fly front jacket, \$10.00.
\$20.00 Ladies' Tailor-made Suit of suiting in grey, diagonal front jacket; \$10.00.
\$25.00 Ladies' Tailor-made Suit of grey homespun, eton jacket, high roll collar, \$12.50.
\$20.00 fly front separate Jacket, light tan kersey cloth, handsomely lined, \$10.00.
\$12.00 black box Coat of beaver cloth, full silk lined body and sleeves, \$7.00.
\$12.00 oxford grey box Coat, full silk lined body and sleeves, \$7.00.

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THE IDLER.

A delegation of Van Wert people, headed by Hon. Urban H. Hester and the state canal commissioner, Beachley, called upon Gov. Nash last Thursday to urge the appointment of Judge H. C. Glenn, of Van Wert, to succeed Judge W. T. Mooney, of St. Marys, who has been elected to the circuit bench and must soon resign to accept that office. Judge Glenn was once before appointed to the common pleas bench in that district and served creditably for fifteen months.

The report of the secretary of the West District American Sabbath union is published in this issue of the TIMES-DEMOCRAT, at his request, in consideration of the support and hospitalities and courtesies shown him during the last two months, and in order to let the friends know whether or not the secretary has been busily engaged in his work or not.

In one of the large show windows at Vorkamp's drug store may be seen a very attractive picture, painted in water color, of the handsome new factory and office building which is to be erected for the Delsel-Wemmer Co., on the property recently purchased by that firm just north of the P. & Ft. W. & C. track on north Main street. The building, as previously stated, will include four stories and basement and will be modern in every particular.

"My heart was badly affected by an attack of grip and I suffered intense agony until I began taking Dr. Miles' Heart Cure. It made me a well man."—W. D. Holman, Harrisburg, Pa.

Boyd Douglas for Meats. 54-w-12

WANTED.

FOR RENT—A boarding house on east Wayne street. The house is in good condition. References required. Apply at T. P. Kevill's grocery, 201 east Wayne street. 70t

MANAGER—Energetic man to manage branch. Old established house. No soliciting; office duties wholly. Salary \$125 month and extra commissions. Yearly engagement; chance rapid advancement for man of ability. Experience not necessary. Must furnish good references and \$800 cash. Manager, Drawer 74, New Haven, Ct. Jan 26-1901

WANTED—A first class machinist; one familiar with drilling tools. A good place for a sober, trustworthy man. No hoboes wanted. Campbell & Davis, Alexandria, Ind. 9-1w

FOR SALE—Fine oak side board and dining table. Inquire at 564 west Market street. 90-1w

"VICTORIA—Queen and Empress," a complete biography and history of her time. Four years in preparation. Agents wanted, extra terms: freight paid; credit given. Outfit now ready; sent free. A great opportunity. Write today. Ziegler Co., 221 Locust street, Philadelphia, Pa. Jan 26-6t-eod

TYPEWRITERS—FOR SALE—Fifty brand new Mannhattans at less than half Manufacturers prices. One hundred No. 2 Caligraphs, second hand in first class condition \$15.00, \$20.00 and \$25.00 each. F. S. Webster Co., 141 Madison street, Chicago.

LADIES—I make big wages at home, and want all to have the same opportunity. The work is pleasant and will easily pay \$18 weekly. This is no deception. I want no money and will gladly send full particulars to all sending stamp. Mrs. H. A. Wiggins, Benton Harbor, Mich. 1t*

FOR RENT—Three rooms, cheap. Inquire at 601 east North street. 95-3t

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Prepare now for busy season. Only two months required. Present graduates with complete outfit of tools and pay \$12 weekly when competent. Constant practice, expert instructions. Catalogue and particulars mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ills. 94-6t

WANTED—Young lady has \$15,000 in own name; nice looking, very musical, affectionate, practical, wants good, kind husband; money no object. Address "Roselle" box 675, Chicago. 94-6t

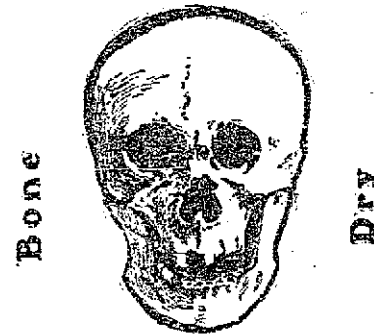
WANTED—Five good locomotive machinists, vice bands, at Pennsylvania Company shops, Crestline, Ohio. Apply in person or by mail to Master Mechanic at that point. 91-1w

WANTED—25 agents. Inquire at room 48, Faurot block. 1t*

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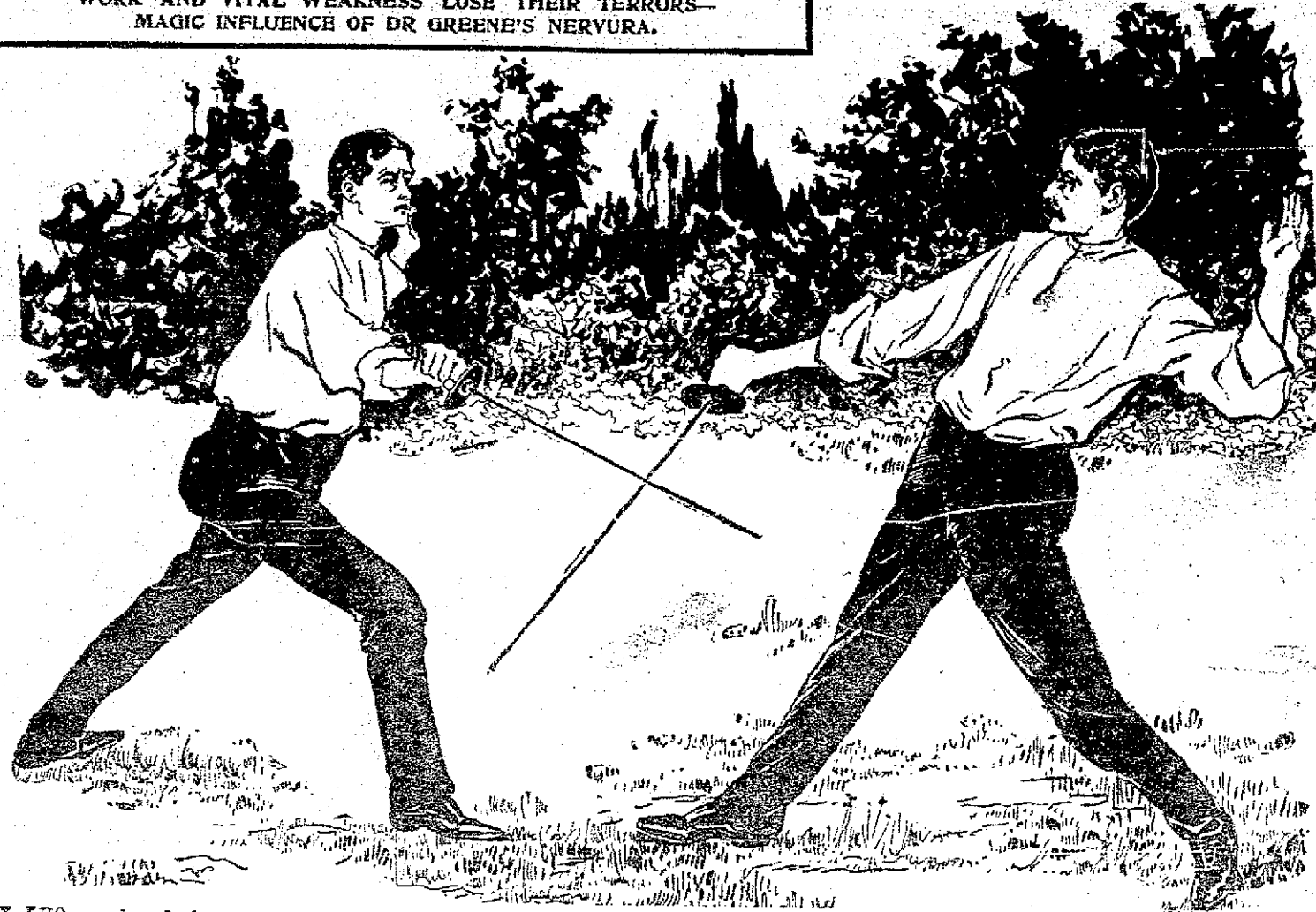
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Strong Nerves and Buoyant Blood made by Dr. Greene's

NEW LIFE AND HOPE FOR WEAK AND DESPONDENT MEN—OVER-
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Who ever heard of a nerveless hero?
What despondent warrior ever won a battle?
What great idea was ever evolved from a sleepless brain?
What high ideal or lofty aspiration ever came from low vitality?
It is the blood and nerves that move the world physically, mentally, and morally.
Napoleon had nerves of steel at Austerlitz and dyspepsia at Waterloo.
King Richard suffered the agonies of insomnia the night before he met Richmond on the fatal field of Bosworth.
Low vitality, nervous weakness and exhaustion cause a majority of failures in every walk of life.
Are your nerves weak, shaky, and unstrung?
Are you unable to sleep at night or do you have dreams?
Is it like some to move, work, or think during the day?
Do you have dizziness, loss of memory, dimness of vision?
Do you have the blues, despondency, depression of mind?
Are you troubled with weak back, tremors, trembling, or palpitation?

There are many cases of complex character which patients cannot fully understand. Dr. Greene cordially invites all such sufferers to consult with him fully and freely, personally or by letter, at his office, 35 West 14th Street, New York City. There is no charge for such consultation and every communication is absolutely confidential.

These are some of the symptoms of nervous debility, vital weakness, nervous and physical exhaustion from over-work, excesses, and abuses.

The exhausted and hopeless feelings which you experience are merely symptoms of the disease.

A thorough revitalization is what you want.

Science has provided a specific for nervous debility, vital weakness and vitiated blood. It is the discovery of the famous Dr. Greene, and is known as Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. Under the magic influence of this wonderful medicine the nerves soon regain their lost power and the spirits become buoyant as the body grows strong.

The reinvigorated blood courses through the veins, substituting health and vitality for lassitude and despair.

Thousands of people—judges, statesmen, merchants, and workingmen—testify from personal experience to the prompt and permanent benefits of Dr. Greene's Nervura. The great good it has done for them it will certainly do for you. It is a sin to suffer when relief is within reach.



Cheese Industry of Canada.
Prof. H. H. Dean of Guelph, Can., in an address before the Vermont Dairymen's Association, said:

The cheese industry of Canada is a result of the favorable natural conditions, and a reflection of the genius and tastes of Canadian people. The great lakes and inland rivers and streams, together with a fertile soil in most parts, making almost ideal conditions for manufacturing Cheddar cheese. The descendants of Scotch, English, German, Dutch and French settlers, together with a good sprinkling of New Englanders, have inherited the tastes and aptitudes of their forefathers for making fine cheese. The countries from which Canadians have sprung are among the most noted cheesemakers in the world, and their sons would be casting discredit upon their ancestry did they not make good the traditions of their fathers.

In 1864 the system of co-operative cheesemaking was introduced to Canada from the state of New York. At that time we were importing cheese for home consumption. At present we export from \$17,000,000 to \$18,000,000 worth of cheese annually, or \$3 worth for every inhabitant of the country. At this stage it may not be out of place to compare the relative exports of cheese from Canada and the United States. In 1894 Canada exported none; in 1895 Canadian exports of cheese were nearly 5,000,000 pounds. The United States exports in 1895 were nearly 60,000,000 pounds. In 1898 Canada had increased her exports to about 10,000,000 pounds, but the United States had increased theirs to 137,500,000 pounds. From this time on Canadian cheese exports have increased, while those from the United States have steadily decreased. In 1899 American exports had dropped to 95,000,000 pounds; in 1896 to 60,000,000 and in 1898 to 46,000,000 pounds. Canada in 1898 exported 150,000,000 pounds.

There are doubtless two main causes of this decrease in exports of United States cheese, viz: A rapidly increasing home population which consumes large quantities of cheese, and laxity of laws relating to the manufacture and sale of "skim" and "filled" cheese. These two classes of cheese have prejudiced the British consumer against American goods and has been favorable to the introduction of "full cream" cheese from Canada. In Canada no "skim" or "filled" cheese is allowed to be made or sold.

The number of factories has increased from none in 1864 to about 3,000 in 1900.

This rapid growth is due, in addition to causes mentioned, to:

1. The fostering care of provincial and Dominion governments.
2. The good work done by the various dairy associations in appointing inspectors and instructors, and in spreading dairy knowledge among the people.

3. The work of the dairy schools in training cheesemakers to take charge of the factories.
4. An improvement in buildings and equipment, though there is still room for improvement in this direction.

5. The growth is due to the fact that the cheese industry has paid, like Americans, Canadians are not fond of a calling which does not pay them. While there have been years in which the business was not profitable, yet, on the whole, cheese has paid as well as any branch of agriculture during the past thirty-five years.

There is still room for improvement in the class of cows kept on Canadian farms, in the care of the milk, in the methods of making and curing the cheese; also in marketing the cheese and dividing the profits among all classes concerned.

At present there are no real obstacles to the growth of the cheese industry in Canada. A more hearty co-operation, together with less selfishness, would promote the growth of the cheese industry in Canada.

Dairy Notes.
A dairymen says that milk should never be taken to the factory or creamery in a springless wagon, as the result will be the churning of the milk and cream, which then becomes less available for the making of first-class butter by the creamery butter-maker.

The aeration of milk is coming to be one of the essentials of good dairymaking. In many parts of the world it seems to have been demonstrated that milk properly aerated will give a better-flavored product than will milk not so aerated. In Europe and in the most progressive dairy sections of this country the practice has become popular. Recently a creamery board of trade passed a resolution to the effect that their creameries should in the future pay 5 cents per hundred pounds more for milk aerated than uns aerated. But while aeration is advisable, it must be done in the proper place and under proper conditions.

The place for aeration is not in the barn or in the barnyard or in the cellar. It must be in the pure air and where there are no odors that will get into and injure the milk.

You can tell a great deal about a woman's tastes from the perfume she uses.

RECOVERIES FROM GRIP.

Mrs. E. I. Masters, at her home in Monitor, Ind., used Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills to cure after effects of grip.

Mrs. A. E. Loeper, in the little town of Modalia, Minn., used Dr. Miles' Pain Pills and Nerve and Liver Pills and was well in a few days.

President McKinley is slowly recovering from grip and its effects.

George J. Flannery was relieved of the awful pains in his head in fifteen minutes, by the use of Dr. Miles' Pain Pills. Now he is rapidly recovering at his home in Buffalo, N. Y.

Speaker Henderson is again in his chair in the House of Representatives after a severe attack of the grip.

J. C. Helfrey, foreman at the Westinghouse factory in East Pittsburgh, had a severe attack of grip, but he used Dr. Miles' Nervine and Liver Pills and was soon back in his place.

Rev. C. Body was in a serious condition at his home in St. Louis, O., but Dr. Miles' Nervine and Nerve and Liver Pills pulled him through all right.

WORKING OVER TIME.

Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless, little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sick headache and all stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe. Only 25 cents at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, cor. Main and North streets.

HIGH LIGHTS.

As a rule man spoils his recreations by letting his mind run on how much they are costing him.

Man says he doesn't understand work in order to escape what might be expected of him if he did.

The art of conversation consists in not saying anything when the other participant wants to do the talking.

Friendship is the feeling we manage to keep up toward people who don't like the books we recommend to them.

FROST BITES AND CHILBLAINS.

quickly cured by Chamberlain's Salve, the most healing remedy in the world.

H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

Photographs as Exhibition Guides.

A German engineer has rendered it possible to use a photograph instead of a guide at exhibitions. Visitors to the exhibition will only have to call the attendant, who will put the roller containing the description of the exhibit in question into the photograph.

New Words for Language.

Philologists are already noting that the English language is to be enriched by three new words as a direct result of the South African war, namely, "khaki," "koppie" and "commander," to each of which future lexicographers will give a distinctive meaning.

PNEUMONIA CAN BE CURED.

This disease always results from a cold or an attack of grip and may be prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. That remedy was extensively used during the epidemics of grippe of the past few years, and not a single case has ever been reported that did not recover of that resulted in pneumonia, which shows it to be a certain preventive of that dangerous disease.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has gained a world wide reputation for its cures of colds and grip. For sale by all druggists.

Twenty-Five Victoria Crosses.

Twenty-five Victoria crosses have been awarded so far in the South African war. Eight have been given to captains, three to lieutenants, including the one given to Lady Roberts by proxy for her dead son, four to sergeants, four to corporals, two to majors and one each to a gunner, a driver and a private infantryman.

HOW TO CURE THE GRIP.

Remain quietly at home and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as directed and a quick recovery is sure to follow. That remedy counteracts any tendency of the grip to result in pneumonia, which is really the only serious danger. Among the tens of thousands who have used it for the grip not one case has ever been reported that did not recover. For sale by all druggists.

Bon Ami

Is the best window cleaner known. No slops and mudd or dust created when used.

Pennsylvania Lines.

Schedule of Passenger Trains—Central Time.

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These little pills never grip or nauseate—their action is very mild and effective. The liver and bowels are restored to normal healthy action and the general system benefited by their use.

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At the drugstore or
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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Jacob P. Ward, deceased.
The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Jacob P. Ward, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 15th day of January, A. D. 1901.

W. J. RICHIE, Administrator.

MONEY TO LOAN.

We have a large sum of money to loan at the very lowest rates of interest. We will accept the best security and pay interest weekly. Persons wishing to borrow money should call on us. We will be glad to hear from you.

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Real Estate and Loan Broker, Rooms 7 and 8, Holmes Block.

RAILROAD

Time table in effect Mar. 11, 1900.

From Lima, Ohio.

TRAINS WEST. Depart
No. 1, Limited, daily, for Chicago and the West, 11:20 a.m.
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Through coaches and sleeping cars to New York and Boston.

FRANK C. MCCOY, Agent,
W. S. HUNTINGTON, Trav. Pass. Agt.,
Huntington.

L. E. & W. R. R.

Important Change of Time in Effect January 25th, 1901.—Increased Service.

East Bound—Leaving Time.
No. 2, Eastern express, daily, 6:11 p.m.
No. 4, N. Y. and Boston Ltd.,
except Sunday, 1:42 p.m.
No. 5, Cleveland and Buffalo
Fast Mail, ex. Sunday, 8:15 a.m.
West Bound—Leaving Time.
No. 1, N. Y. Kansas City and
Denver Ltd., daily, 9:47 a.m.
No. 3, Lima and St. Louis Ex-
press, ex. Sunday, 3:50 a.m.
No. 4, N. Y., Cleveland and
Indianapolis Express,
except Sunday, 4:35 p.m.
No. 5, Cleveland and Lima
Special, arrives ex-
cept Sunday, 8:20 p.m.
Trains No. 2 and 4 run in connection with the L. & M. S. "fast flyers" the most magnificent appointed trains in the world for Cleveland, Buffalo, New York, Boston, Montreal and all eastern cities. Trains No. 1 and 3 make close connection at Bloomington and Peoria with through trains for all points in the West, North, west and Southwest. Trains No. 1 and 2 have modern, up-to-date parlor and dining car service.

Inquire further of F. A. Burkhardt, City Passenger Agent, Bell Phones 159 and 672.

LOCAL TIMECARD.

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NORTH BOUND.

No. 7, Daily, 5:10 a.m.
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SOUTH BOUND.

No. 12, Daily, 5:10 a.m.
No. 14, Daily, 5:10 a.m.
No. 16, Daily, 5:10 a.m.
No. 18, Daily, 5:10 a.m.
No. 20, Daily, 5:10 a.m.
No. 22, Daily, 5:10 a.m.
No. 24, Daily, 5:10 a.m.
No. 26, Daily, 5:10 a.m.

P. F. W. & C.

EAST BOUND.

No. 1, Pittsburgh special, daily, 1:25 a.m.
No. 2, Eastern express, daily, 7:34 a.m.
No. 3, Cleveland and Buffalo Fast Mail, daily, 8:15 a.m.
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WEST BOUND.

No. 15, Chicago and west, daily, 1:40 a.m.
No. 16, Limited express, daily, 7:34 a.m.
No. 17, Cleveland and Buffalo Fast Mail, daily, 8:15 a.m.
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No. 22, Cleveland and Buffalo Fast Mail, daily, 8:15 a.m.

Foley's Honey and Tar

Heals lungs and stops the cough.

LEAGUE TO PROTECT BIRDS.

Audubon Societies Take Steps to Begin Organized Crusade.

There are 50,000 persons in Boston who refuse to wear feathers in their hats. But they are not all women, for there are many male members of the Audubon societies which held their first congress at Cambridge the other afternoon.

They constitute an organized protest against the use of birds in millinery, says the New York Telegram. Hitherto their work has been on the lines of lessening the demand for the plumes. It was realized that the plumage hunters were prompted to what the Audubonites call a fell deed by a very natural motive of profit.

About all that has been required of the members was to sign a pledge not to wear feather millinery. Each society was an independent body, with a membership of more than 50,000. The other day's congress, attended by delegates from as far away as Illinois and the District of Columbia, took steps to form some sort of a league.

It is proposed to institute a bird study scheme suggested by Frank M. Chapman to include an annual summer gathering modeled on the Chautauqua idea. Both the schemes were so well received that it is believed they will become a part of the Audubon society programme. A committee to formulate a plan for carrying the ideas into effect is to be chosen by President Charles Sedgwick Minot.

Our Free Cleansing Baths.

Dr. Simon Baruch of New York city has been awarded a silver medal and a diploma at the Paris exposition for his plates and statistics showing work done in providing free cleansing baths for the poor, says the New York Medical Record. In this exhibit the aim was to show the sanitarians of the world that we have solved in America the problem of free cleansing baths, which have been in full operation in Buffalo and Chicago for several years. There are no other free cleansing baths in the world.

Perish the Thought.

Since the Prince of Wales has been wearing creaseless trousers for three years without discovery, it is just possible, says the Detroit Journal, that we are a little past due on the matter of hats too.

CHINESE WAR NOTES.

The ancient Chinese custom of closing the gates of Peking at sundown is temporarily at least suspended, and now the wayfarer can come or go at any hour he pleases provided he can explain matters to the sentries, writes the Peking correspondent of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. In the olden days the rule was very rigidly enforced and was a constant inconvenience. Persons who drove into the country and tarried after sunset were looked out for the night, and the same rule fell to the traveler who arrived late. The Chinese had ways of leaving the city at night, but few Europeans ever tried or succeeded. There are notable instances where the rule was enforced against ministers and high officials, and it was a standing injunction to the newcomers to look out and avoid trouble. As a matter of fact, few persons try to pass the gates at night in these strict times of protest law, but the way is open if they seek to go.

It develops, after all, that the Japanese and Americans were responsible for the early movement on Peking. The Japanese were ready and anxious to move, the British said they lacked preparation, and the Russians were indecisive. At the final conference of generals in Tientsin General Chaffee's voice carried the day. The generals were discussing the situation, and when it got to the Americans he simply said, "My orders are to go to Peking, and by —, I'm going!" If he had hesitated, the Japanese would have been forced to abandon their plan for an immediate movement.

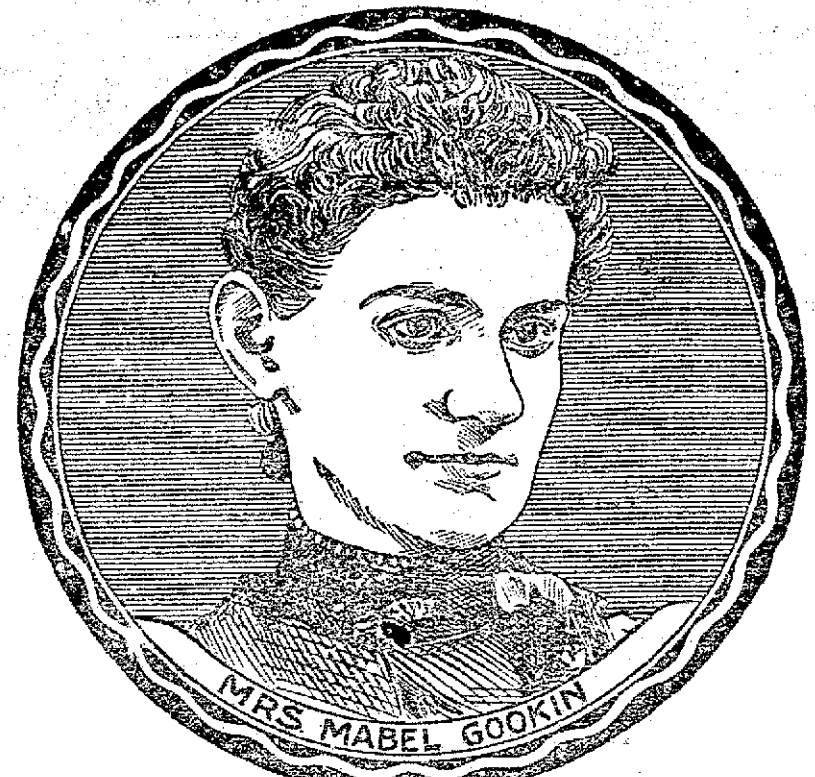
The Mohammedans in the Indian army have found useful and convivial companions in the Chinese followers of the prophet. The Chinese Mohammedans in north China seem to have had but little part in the uprising as far as general observation shows, and many of them are in the refugee camps and coolie corps. They seem to have been largely engaged in the junk traffic on the Pei-Ho and the retail trade of Tientsin and Peking. Students of China commend them as peace loving and honest, which is a contradiction of popular notion as to them. Their mosques seem undisturbed, and they appear to have remained aloof in the recent crisis. Many of them know the Arabic of the Koran and through it have been able to converse with their brethren in religion in the Indian army. They are Chinese in general appearance and mode of living, but they adhere to the customs of their creed.

The most oddly gowned fighting men in China are the French marines and sailors. They wear blue fatigue uniforms made of a kind of duck, and it is precisely the same in appearance as the common Chinese duck. In fact, small detachments of French have been fired on as Chinese. They have ark helmets that were originally white and for some reason that is not clear over the front half of them with blue duck.

Aside from some trouble arising from creed and caste, the British commissariat does not have much difficulty feeding the Indian troops. The latter do not care for more than one big meal a day and do not eat a very large amount at that. The Europeans and Americans suffer hardly if they are not given food three times a day, but the Indians can keep going where they would be faint and fatigued.

New England Women

Have an Abiding Faith in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



After years of struggle to attain and merit public confidence, with a firm and steadfast belief that some day others would recognize in us the truth, good faith, and honesty of purpose which we know we possess, what a genuine satisfaction it is to succeed, and to realize the uplifting influence of the merited confidence of a vast army of our fellow beings.

ORGANIC INFLAMMATION.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I was troubled very badly with inflammation of the bladder, was sick in bed with it. I had two doctors, but they did me no good. A friend gave me Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it helped me. I have now taken three bottles of it, and I am entirely cured. It is a Godsend to any woman, and I would recommend it to any suffering as I was. I think, if most of the women would take more of your medicine instead of going to the doctors, they would be better off. The Compound has also cured my husband of kidney trouble."

Mrs. Mabel Gookin, Mechanic Falls, Maine.

NERVOUS PROSTRATION.

"For two years I suffered from nervous prostration, the result of female weakness. I had hemorrhoids very badly, and at time of menstruation would be obliged to go to bed. Also suffered with headaches, pain across back, and in lower part of abdomen. I was so discouraged, I had read of Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound, and concluded to give it a trial. I wrote to Mrs. Pinkham, and received a very nice letter in return. I began at once the use of her Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier, and am now feeling splendid. I have more power in my monthly periods, can do my own work, and have gained ten pounds. I would not be without your Vegetable Compound. It is a splendid medicine. I am very thankful for what it has done for me."—Mrs. J. W. J., 76 Carolina Ave., Jamaica Plain, Mass.

"If Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will cure these women—why not you?—you cannot tell until you try it. If you are ill, and really want to get well, commence its use at once, and do not let any drug clerk persuade you that he has something of his own which is better, for that is absurd. Ask him to produce the evidence we do."

CONDENSED INFORMATION.

A new island has been formed out at sea, about ten miles from the mouth of the Rhone.

Within eleven years the De Beers mines have yielded diamonds to the value of over \$100,000,000.

The United States produces 22,220 pounds of grain for each inhabitant; England only 360 pounds.

Missouri will have the largest Democratic delegation in the next congress of any state of the union.

Preliminary work has begun for taking the next census of the United Kingdom on March 31, 1901.

A Chinaman places his surname first, then his title, if he has any, and lastly his "Christian" name.

In Hamburg the rate of mortality from cancer rose from 71.63 per 100,000 persons in 1872 to 97.82 in 1898.

A Japanese Christian minister says that in Japan during a recent year there were 398,359 marriages and 116,775 divorces.

One-fourth of the inhabitants of the world die before they reach the seventh year, one-half before their seventeenth year.

HAD TO CONQUER OR DIE.

"I was just about gone," writes Mrs. Rosa Richardson, of Laurel Springs, N. C., "I had consumption so bad that the best doctors said I could not live more than a month, but I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by seven bottles and am now stout and well. It's an unrivaled life-saver in consumption, pneumonia, la grippe and bronchitis; infallible for coughs, colds, asthma, hay fever, croup or whooping cough. Guaranteed bottles 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, cor. Main and North sts."

"I was in bad five weeks with the grip—nerves shattered, stomach and liver badly deranged. Was cured with Dr. Miles' Nervine and Nerve and Liver Pills."—D. C. Walker, Hallsville, O.

BOOM IN SHIPBUILDING.

President Griscum's Address Before Naval Architects' Society.

GROWTH IN AMERICA DISCUSSED

The Present the Most Prosperous Year Since the Civil War—Prospects For the Opening Century Even Better—Work That Is Under Way—Cramp on the Varing.

The eighth annual meeting of the Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers closed the other night with a banquet of the members at Delmonico's, says the New York Sun.

Clement A. Griscum, president of the International Navigation company, who was again re-elected president of the society, said that this had been the most prosperous year for shipbuilding in the United States since the outbreak of the civil war and predicted that the century about to begin would witness a development of the industry which would respond to the high hopes of the members of the society when it was founded.

"During the fiscal year of the government which ended in June," said Mr. Griscum, "80 steel steam vessels of 107,948 gross tons were built in the United States. These figures are modest compared with Great Britain's output of 567 steel steam vessels of 1,341,425 gross tons during the year, but they are full of encouragement when put beside the fact that during the previous nine years the United States built only 574,802 gross tons of these types. Nearly all our shipyards have been busy, every large plant has increased its capacity, and several new shipyards have been established and equipped for the construction of the largest merchant and war vessels. The new ship and engine building yard of noble proportions on the Delaware is prepared for work, and its novel applications of mechanical science to shipbuilding have already aroused the interest of the students of marine architecture here and abroad. A new and extensive plant on the Pacific coast will soon begin operations, and on the Thames in Connecticut the keels of two of the largest steamships ever built will soon be laid. Plants in the south are increasing their facilities, and under favorable conditions steel shipbuilding promises to become one of our distinctively national industries."

Since the fiscal year ended in June, Mr. Griscum said, there had been launched, begun or contracted for, 78 steel steamships of 350,000 gross tonnage. These included 10 ocean steamships, each of 10,000 gross tons or more. Some of this work, he said, would extend over two years, but its side of 12 months five-sevenths of it would be completed. Next year, Mr. Griscum said, would show an increase over this year as great as the record of this year exceeded those of previous years.

In discussing the causes that have led to the wonderful growth of shipbuilding in this country, Mr. Griscum said: "Most familiar among these causes has been the liberal and continuous expenditure of the government on the navy. Since 1884-5 71 vessels of over 200,000 tons displacement, not including many torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers, have been built or ordered for the navy. The vessels under construction aggregate 119,320 tons displacement, namely: Six battleships, 4 monitors, 4 protected cruisers, 16 torpedo boat destroyers and 15 torpedo boats, making a total of 47. The total value now under construction for the United States navy for hulls and machinery alone involves an expenditure of \$33,700,000. Fourteen vessels have been authorized, but not yet begun, namely: Five battleships, six armored cruisers and three protected cruisers, aggregating 179,800 tons displacement. The hulls and machinery alone will cost approximately \$50,400,000, a greater amount than is involved in the entire construction of the merchant steamships of 21 months to which I have referred."

"The annexation of Hawaii and causes arising from our war with Spain have stimulated shipbuilding beyond the expectations of the sanguine a few years ago. Without transgressing any unwritten rule of the society in its discussions I feel justified in stating that among the causes which are now stimulating our shipping interests may be included the growing popular national sentiment that the United States should no longer remain at the tail of the procession of commercial nations on the seas."

The remarks of Mr. Griscum were greeted with hearty applause. He was followed by Charles H. Cramp of Philadelphia, who read a paper on the recent performance of the Russian cruiser Varag. He thought that the unfavorable conditions under which the trial of the cruiser was made warranted the subject being brought to the attention of the members of the society. Mr. Cramp assigned these reasons for the extraordinary performance of the vessel: The adaptation of the cruiser's model to the attainment of high speed, the arrangement of the structural appliances in her hull and the performances of her engines and boilers.

This, he said, was demonstrated by the fact that over a ten knot course, with 18,000 indicated horsepower, a speed of 24 knots was attained and with 16,000 indicated horsepower a speed of 23 1/2 knots was maintained for 12 consecutive hours.

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Delightful Meeting of the T. and T. Club Was Held Last Night.
Other Social Events of the Week.

MONDAY.

Arborea, with Mrs. J. O. Oiler.
Ray View, with Miss Betty.
Twentieth Century, with Mrs. Walter McNairy.

Sorels with Mrs. Wallace.
Round Table, with Mrs. Shattuck.
Lotus, with Mrs. J. K. Rice.
Chonlan, with Mrs. Spear.
Phillip, with Mrs. and Mrs. L. E. Stamets.

TUESDAY.

Rose Leaf, with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warren.
Coterie, with Mrs. Lewis.
Racine, with Mr. and Mrs. James Halphill.
Aud Widenrechen, with Dr. and Mrs. M. B. Dooy.

WEDNESDAY.

Adelphia, with Mrs. Sires.
Winodanghals, with Mrs. M. E. Haysell.
Golden Rod, with Mrs. E. Williams.

Last evening the T. and T. club entertained a number of their friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Borges. The thirty members were all present but two to welcome their guests. The rooms were fragrant with roses, carnations and hyacinths, and at nine o'clock Mrs. W. L. MacKenzie at the piano played a most delightful selection, "Catamouches" by Thome, then Mr. G. M. Sprague made an address of welcome. Mrs. Clement Baxter with her sweet voice charmed one and all by singing "Entreat Me Not to Leave Thee" by Gunged and "The Holy City" by Adams. Mrs. Johnathan E. Brice was also fortunate in her selections, giving "Scart to Die" from "Story Tell Lib," and to repeated encores gave "The King's Highway," and then a droll little Irish gem. A social half hour was followed by a three course supper served at long tables spread in the dining room, sitting room, library and hall. Mr. C. C. Miller was the only after dinner speaker and was happy in his usual vein of wit and wisdom with a good story now and then. Prof. Frank Griffen with his magic violin was the closing feature of the program, Miss Kathryn Sargent accompanying him in playing a Mazurka by Musca and the Intermezzo from Cavaliere Rusticana.

Wednesday evening Miss Rose Leonard gave a merry sleigh ride to a number of congenial friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Overy, of east North street, will entertain a number of friends at cards next Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie will entertain a number of relatives at dinner next Tuesday evening, honoring Mrs. Porter and Mr. Waldorf.

The Missionary society of the Market street Presbyterian church will meet next Wednesday at the church, holding an all day work meeting with the regular program in the afternoon, "India" being the subject.

Mrs. E. Owens entertained a few friends at dinner on Wednesday evening, honoring Miss Nellie Young, of Boonville, Mo., who has been visiting Mrs. George Holland.

Last evening Misses Agnes and Ella Kemmer paid Miss Pearl Middleton, of Kokomo, Ind., a pretty compliment in the form of a merry sleighing party with a wind-up at the home of Miss Blanch Brower, three miles from town, where fun and feasting were enjoyed until late in the evening.

The Oriental club was entertained in a delightful manner, Friday evening, at the beautiful new home of Mr. and Mrs. Blosser. Progressive Pedro was indulged in until a late hour when an elaborate luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bert Blosser. Mrs. Harman and Mrs. Nagelspack received the ladies' first prizes, and Mr. Hammell and Mr. Tucker received the gentle-

men's first prizes, while Mrs. Beckman and Mr. Harper were consoled. The guests of the club were Mr. and Mrs. Nagelspack, Mr. and Mrs. Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Blosser.

Master John Weller was most pleasantly surprised last night by his little friends reminding him of his birthday anniversary. Among the guests were Freda Braun, Mary Burkhardt, Ida Snyder, Carl Braun, Minnie Heitzler, Katie and Anna Hoegner, Katie Baker, Walter Wemmer, Louise and Henry Deisel, Willie Stug, Anna and John Weller. Music and games were enjoyed including a two-course supper. The guests left wishing John many more happy birthday anniversaries.

"Thursday morning a congenial party of eleven ladies filled a roomy sleigh and were given a gay sleigh ride out to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Heffner, who had invited them to come out and assist in giving their fine new home an old time housewarming.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Longworth resounded with fun on Wednesday evening when a merry party of young people descended upon it after a gay sleigh ride. A fine oyster supper was relished and music, charades and games filled the evening.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. M. S. Thompson, of west Spring street, opened her pretty new home to the members of the A. F. club and a few congenial friends. Buche was enjoyed as usual with an appetizing spread after the game.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Thrift, of west Market street, entertained a few friends at a handsomely appointed dinner last evening.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. James Heistand gave a charming little company in compliment to Mrs. Siler, who is leaving the pleasant neighborhood for Richmond, Indiana, her new home. The ladies were nearly all neighbors and were Mesdames R. D. Kahle, H. Parham, H. Moore, F. C. Stewber, C. C. Miller, A. McDonel, E. V. Wells, H. Deisel, S. S. Wheeler, Frank Alken, Will Deakin, J. M. Kinney and Walter Campell.

Last evening Walter Kidenour, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kidenour gave pleasure to a number of school friends by giving them a fine sleigh ride.

Last evening Miss Lena Pangle, of north West street, entertained a merry party of young friends very pleasantly.

The Avalanto club enjoyed Wednesday evening at the cozy home of Mrs. Lippensott, of north Central avenue. One amusing feature of the evening was a contest at smelling various perfumes, spices, etc., Miss Sadie Dickerson securing first prize, a box of fine stationery; Mrs. Howard Neff winning the second, a pretty vase.

Miss Katie Kruse entertained the Nineteen Hundred and One Pedro club at her home, on east High street, on last Thursday. A game of Pedro progressed rapidly and the ladies' first prize was awarded to Mrs. Andy Shuler, while the gentlemen's first prize was awarded to Mr. John Sweeney. The booby prize was given to Mr. Ed. Weaver. Music and singing were the other events of the evening, and a delicious luncheon was served. Miss Mae Shuler will entertain the club next Thursday at the home of Mrs. Andy Shuler.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Delphos Herald—Mrs. E. B. Satterthwaite went to Lima today. Jacob Kissel, of Lima, a candidate for the nomination of sheriff of Allen county was in the city, feeling the Democratic pulse.

Mrs. B. Harper and daughter Elsie, bookkeeper at the Enterprise laundry, who is taking her vacation, leave tomorrow for a two weeks' visit with relatives at Muncie.

John Clark, the oil producer, who took his little daughter to St. Louis, Mo., several days ago to be treated for spinal trouble, is expected home next Monday.

Louis Schneider has returned from a visit with his parents at Minster.

J. W. Peltier has returned from a business trip to Jackson Center.

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Do Ohio People

Who Have Gone Over
the Ground.

C. F. Lufkin and Senator
Shaw Interviewed at
Beaumont.

Both Declare That the Great Oil
Geyser is the Most Wonderful
Produced in United
States.

A copy of the Daily Enterprise, published at Beaumont, Texas, and among the first papers from that now world-renowned town to be received here, came by mail this morning, and among the interesting articles descriptive of the oil excitement, there are two interviews with Ohio men who are watching developments. One of the gentlemen referred to is our fellow-townsmen, C. F. Lufkin, who has just returned from the Texas field and the published account coincides with the views he has given out since his arrival at home. The other gentleman to receive attention is Senator Shaw, who it seems has been able to lease a large quantity of land in a desirable location. The Enterprise quotes them as follows:

Mr. C. F. Lufkin, the veteran oil man who has been in Beaumont for the past ten days, left last night for his headquarters at Lima, O. Mr. Lufkin called at the Enterprise office yesterday to have the paper mailed to him, and while here, talked very interestingly about oil and the probable future of this field. He has had forty years experience in oil and has inspected the oil fields of the civilized world. "Aside from the big Russian wells, this is the greatest well in all my experience," said Mr. Lufkin, "and it has made Beaumont the oil city and the oil center of Texas. Whenever an oil man comes to the Texas field you may rest assured that he will come to Beaumont. You will soon have a city here like Houston, for you can not realize now what this means in the way of industrial development, and a number of men who will be given employment in many ways. There will be miles of side track required, and it will require a small army of railroad men, to say nothing of the men who must be employed in the offices of the oil companies. It means a wonderful development for this place. The oil business will be as permanent as anything you have here and the field will be produced a century from now. Some people do not realize this, but it is a fact that Pennsylvania is producing as much oil as ever, and there is no means of telling how long it will last, but the supply there will not fail in a century."

Not Gas Pressure.

Senator Shaw, of Ohio, who has been in the city during the past week, looking over the oil situation and incidentally picking up a lease here and there, enjoys the distinction of being one of the most affable gentlemen among the host of prospectors in the city, and that is saying a great deal. Last night, in speaking of the Lucas geyser, Senator Shaw said:

"I have visited all the oil fields developed in the last fifteen years, and I unhesitatingly say that the oil well you have is the greatest I have ever seen."

Upon being asked the flow he estimated it from eight to ten thousand barrels, but said it might not reach that amount, as there was no way of accurately determining that without measuring the daily product. "One thing I am certain of," said Senator Shaw, "is that the flow is not due to a gas pressure. I have seen wells with half the capacity that were due to a gas pressure and they made twice the noise of the Lucas geyser. If that well was the result of gas pressure you could hear it a great distance away, flowing the quantity it does. In my opinion it is due to either the natural pressure resulting from the oil deposit or a salt water pressure. If it is due to salt water it will continue until the water seeks a level and that like the other proposition, will have to await future development, for no one can tell to what extent it reaches. In regard to the purchase of land, oil men are not looking for investment in the way of land, but they are gambling in one sense of the word and are willing to take their

chances by leasing and prospecting at their own expense. If a farmer has land that produces oil, he is a fool for selling it, and if he has not, well, he hasn't got it."

MARKET

Price of Crude Oil Has
Advanced,

Proving That the Texas
Steer is Harmless.

The Quotations for Lima Oil Go Up
Two Cents and the Price of
Eastern Crude Advanced
Three Cents.

The Texas "steer" which, a couple of weeks ago, drove Texas oil mad and created consternation in the ranks of the oil producing fraternity in Ohio, Indiana, Pennsylvania and West Virginia, has, like many of the phenomenal strikes that have preceded it, been relegated to the long list of "hixies" and unless something more formidable than the "steer" is discovered, the Lima oil field will continue to be the important center in the oil industry that it has been for more than fifteen years. Oil experts who have investigated the Texas discovery have been cautioning the operators not to be too hasty about investigating capital in the Beaumont field, claiming that the oil found there is of too low a grade to be of value as an illuminant and that to be able to dispose of it as fuel oil a market must first be created.

The action of the Standard Oil Co. today is further proof of the claim made by the oil experts, for in spite of the fact that the Beaumont field is able to furnish gushers of 20,000 barrels capacity, the market price of Ohio, Indiana and Eastern oils was today advanced, the quotations from the head of the Standard's purchasing department authorizing an advance of two cents per barrel in the price for Lima and Indiana oil and an advance of three cents on the Eastern production. The market quotations are now as follows:

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Pennsylvania1.20
Barnesville1.20
Corning1.03
New Castle95
North Lima88
South Lima83
Indiana83

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For the American Sabbath Union as
Shown in This Report Covering
Allen County.

Rev. J. V. Potts, secretary of the western district of the Sunday Observance Union, has filed with the general secretary of the American Sabbath Union a monthly report which shows the work accomplished during his sojourn in Allen county. The report is as follows:

DEAR SIR:—I hereby transmit to you my monthly report for January, 1901:

Days employed, 31; miles traveled, 329; articles written for the press, 43; whole number of churches visited, 15; addresses and sermons delivered, 24; family visitations, 125; letters written, 115; expenses, \$24.68; collections, \$26.07; value of literature distributed, \$5.43; received on salary, \$0.00; debt, \$4.04; courtesies, \$11.05; places visited, Lima, Beaverdam, Bluffton, Delphos, Heidelberg union church, St. Paul's Reformed church, Riley Creek Reformed church, all in Allen county, Ohio; held one convention in Lima, Ohio, January 30 and 31, 1901.

This work is sustained by voluntary gifts from the friends of the Lord's day. Contributions solicited. Address, JOHN V. POTTS, Lima, Ohio.

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"My stomach was affected by grip and I could eat nothing but crackers and milk. I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pain Pills and the trouble disappeared."—Mrs. J. Lindsey, Montrose, Minn.

NOTICE.

Oscar A. Edgerly, of Lynn, Mass., will lecture in Donze hall, Sunday, 2:30 and 7:30. The First National Spiritual society welcome the public at all services. Mr. Edgerly will give tests after the lectures.

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Akron to be Removed to
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Amount of Work Done
in Lima.

Yesterday the L. E. & W. railroad company purchased forty-eight acres of ground near the Indiana state fair grounds at Indianapolis and will proceed at once with the construction of buildings for general repair shops. The shops of the Northern Ohio railroad which are now located at Akron, O., will be abandoned and the machinery and other equipment in them will be removed to the new shops at Indianapolis. It is the purpose of the company to make Indianapolis a general center of the L. E. & W. system. The addition of the shops is all that is needed for this purpose as the general offices of the L. E. & W. system are already located at that place.

It is not believed that the construction and operation of the new shops will interfere to any great extent with the amount of work in the shops of the road in this city but will more probably reduce the work of the shops now situated and operated in connection with the Indianapolis & Michigan City division at Peru, Ind.

WILL ENLARGE FORCE.

General foreman Mitten, of the L. E. & W., says the Fort Wayne Sentinel, has instructions to re-employ all the men who were let out last spring, if possible, and failing in this, to employ enough men to bring the force up to the standard which prevailed before the reduction. It is understood that the shops will immediately resume repairs on passenger cars, and possibly do some new work. This order means employment to eighteen or twenty men in addition to those who are already employed at the shop.

A C. H. & D. REMOR.

On Third street yesterday there was a report that negotiations were pending for the purchase of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railway by the Southern Railway company. Where the report originated was not evident, but it probably came from the fact that negotiations have been pending for the turning over of the Monon by J. P. Morgan to the Southern Railway. As J. P. Morgan owns the one and is at least largely interested in the other this deal is not looked upon as an improbability. But the purchase of the C. H. and D. by the Southern Railway is not considered likely. An official of the C. H. and D., who was asked about the report said that it was the first he had heard of it. "There are good reasons," said he, "for thinking that there could be nothing in the report. Of course, it could be taken up and put through without our knowing anything about it, but it is not likely that the C. H. and D. would be going ahead expending a large amount of money in improvements and refunding and the like if there were any deal on looking to the sale of the property or the control of it." The stock was stronger yesterday in the local market, large lots being reported sold at 102.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

NOTICE!

Lima association No. 21 N. A. S. E. regular meeting will be Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock instead of Sunday morning, on account of organizing the new association at Delphos. All members who desire to go to Delphos will be at the P. Ft. W. & C. depot at 8:30 o'clock Sunday morning. C. F. DOWNE, Sec.

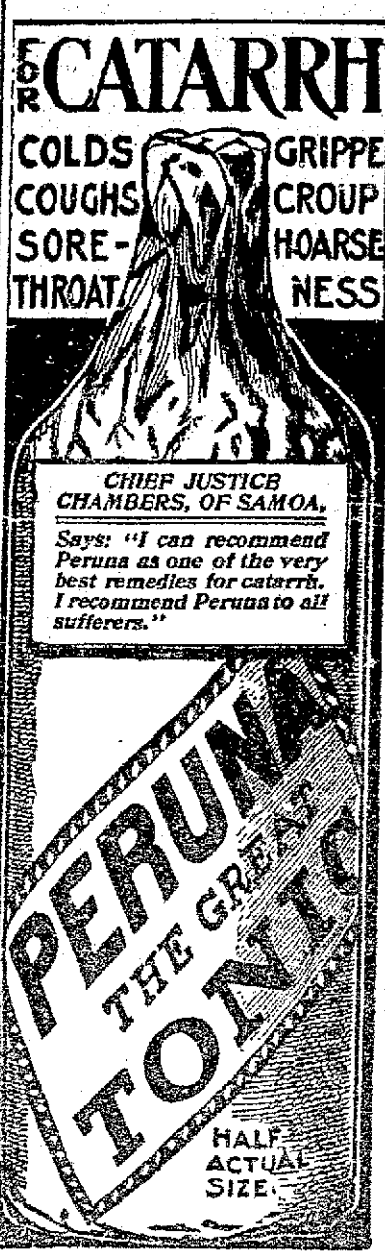
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Hon. William Youngblood, Auditor for the Interior, writes from Washington, D. C., as follows: "I've often heard of your great medicine and have persuaded my wife, who has been much of a sufferer from catarrh, to try Peruna, and after using one bottle she has wonderfully improved. It has proved all you have claimed for it."

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